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PRES. COOLIDGE SIGNS BOULDER DAM BILL

WITH THIS ACT FAMOUS MEASURE BECOMES A LAW

CARRIES $165,000,000 FOR CONSTRUCTION OF GIANT DAM

TO BE BUILT ON COLORADO TO WATER VALLEYS OF FAR SOUTHWEST

Washington, Dec. 21. — (UP) — President Coolidge signed the Boulder Dam bill at 10:20 A. M. today.

With this act the famous measure, carrying $165,000,000, became a law. Under it, there will be construction of a giant dam on the Colorado to water the valleys of the far southwest, control floods and create power.

The bill provides for construction of a 550-foot dam at either Black or Boulder canyon on the Colorado river as an irrigation, flood control and hydro-electric project.

Signature of the bill by President Coolidge ends a fight which has proceeded in congress for eight years.

Arizona has been the principal opponent of the legislation, claiming that California would receive more than a fair share of the benefits at the expense of states further up the river.

By terms of the bill, the secretary of interior is given authority to proceed with construction of the dam as soon as he obtains contracts for sale of water and hydro-electric power rights sufficient to assure amortization in fifty years and as soon after a period of six months as six interested states ratify the Colorado river compact.

This compact provides for distribution of water among the seven states which adjoin the river.

The financial plan upon which the bill is based is that sale of water for irrigation and domestic use and of hydro-electric water power or of water power rights will pay the entire cost of the project.

The authorized cost is $165,000,000, including the dam, hydro-electric plant and all-American canal, which will carry water into California.

The secretary of interior is given the option of building the hydro-electric plant himself and selling power at the switchboard; building the plant and leasing it by units; or leasing the power rights leaving it to the private company, a state or a municipality to build and operate the plant.

This bill authorizes expenditure of $165,000,000 and requires that special appropriation bills be passed for the actual outlay of funds.

The president signed the measure with an ornate desk pen brought to the White House by Representative Swing, republican, California, who with Senator Johnson, republican, California, wrote the bill.

Elwood Meade, director of the bureau of reclamation, W. B. Mathews, attorney for the bureau of power and light of Los Angeles, and Representative Smith, republican, Idaho, also attended the ceremony in the president's private office.

Immediately after signing the measure, the president with the delegation posed for photographers on the south lawn of the White House where the president was congratulated for making the measure a law.

The desk pen along with one of the president's own desk pens, also used during the ceremonies, was presented the authors of the bill.

The Boulder Dam bill as signed, conforms in all essential features to the recommendations of the interior department, Commissioner E. B. Meade said today. The reservoir capacity, site, provision for a power plant and provisions protecting the rights of the upper states were all included in the interior department's reports, he stated.

ART GOEBEL IS OPERATED ON FOR APPENDICITIS

Wichita, Kan., Dec. 21.—(U.P.)—Art Goebel, Pacific flier, operated on here for acute appendicitis Wednesday, today contracted pneumonia in his right lung and is in a serious condition, according to his physician.

While in Chicago at the aeronautical exposition, Goebel suffered an attack of influenza which weakened his condition. While his condition is far from satisfactory, his physician declares there is no immediate danger, but the famous airman is being given the closest of attention.

Winter Solstice Has Temperature Drop Punch

GERMAN REPORTS ON TROUBLES IN AFGHANISTAN

Berlin, Dec. 21.—(U.P.)—A telegram to the foreign office from the German legation at Kabul, Afganistan, said today that the leader of the Afghanistan rebels had been wounded. His name was reported to be Batcha Saqua.

The Germany legation expressed hope that the conflict soon would end. The government still was negotiating with the rebels, the message said, adding, however, that the situation continued to be serious.

The message confirmed news that fighting had occurred near the British legation, which still was in the path of stray bullets.

A United Press dispatch from Allahabad, India, yesterday said that King Amanullah of Afghanistan recently had placed a price of 20,000 rupees on the head of Batcha Sacqua, rebel leader, and that the latter retaliated by placing a larger price on the head of the king.

BLACK HAND THREATS HANG OVER TRIAL

JUDGE, STAR WITNESSES OF STATE, PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS THREATENED

RANIERI KIDNAPING TRIAL HAS SINISTER ANGLE

Chicago, Dec. 21. — (U.P.)—The black hand threat of impending death hung over the Ranieri kidnaping trial today.

The judge, star witnesses of the state, prosecuting attorneys and police officials all have been warned that death will result if they go ahead with the trial of three Italians, charged with kidnaping Billy Ranieri and demanding $60,000 ransom.

Judge Robert Gentzel, presiding at the trial, received a crudely printed note through the mail telling him, "you are too late. You are to die. Quit our case."

A. Frank Ranieri, father of Billy, was warned today that his home would be bombed Saturday night unless the prosecution is stopped. This latest warning, one of many that Ranieri has received since the trial started, was mailed to the Ranieri home and telephoned to Ranieri, who is staying at a loop hotel, guarded by several policemen.

Ten important witnesses for the state have fled the city or are in hiding because they heard threatening whispers that bombs would be tossed into their homes or their children kidnaped if they aided prosecuting Angelo Petitti, accused as the head of an extortion ring and on trial for the kidnaping of Billy.

Two assistant state's attorneys have sent their wives and families out of Chicago until the trial is over. They have taken rooms in downtown hotels with police guards always on duty. Both were warned that to prosecute the three Italians would mean death.

Mike Devito, a state witness who yesterday said "everybody knew Petitti was the head of a black hand extortion ring," is scheduled along with Judge Gentzel as the next to die. He received a death threat saying he was to be killed.

Despite the threat, Devito testified that Petitti had blackmailed him out of $300 on threat of bombing his home and abducting his children. Devito said he paid without protest because "he knew the bombings and kidnapings would take place if he did not."

Police guards about the Ranieri home and in the courtroom have been doubled following the latest threats. All persons entering the courtroom are searched for weapons.

NEW STYLE OF XMAS SHOPPER, USES A BRICK

Minneapolis, Dec. 21.—(U.P.)—An unidentified woman stepped from her automobile here Thursday, shattered the window of the State Jewelry store with a brick, selected $850 worth of rings and wrist watches from a Christmas display and drove away.

Christmas Armistice Prevails in Congress Today, Treaty and Navy Bill Men Are at Outs

GLARE AT EACH OTHER ACROSS AISLES OF SENATE

READY TO RESUME DIFFERENCES WHEN SESSION RESUMES JANUARY 3

ODDS AND ENDS IN LEGISLATIVE MATTERS NOW BEING CLEANED UP

By PAUL R. MALLON

Washington, Dec. 21.—A Christmas armistice prevailed in congress today. But adherents of the anti-war treaty and proponents of the naval cruiser bill were glaring across the senate aisles ready to resume their fight over precedence on the measures as they come up again on January 3.

Odds and ends of the legislative calendar of both houses are being cleaned up in the meantime, preparatory to adjourning for the Christmas recess tomorrow. Many senators and representatives are departing for their homes leaving only the leaders on guard to care for the less important matters.

The bitter contest for precedence between the treaty and the navy bill was postponed over the holidays by the unanimous consent agreement made in the senate late yesterday. It provided both should be considered the unfinished business when the senate reconvenes, the treaty in open executive session and the bill in the regular session.

When the senate reconvenes, Chairman Borah of the foreign relations committee will seek to force consideration of the treaty by sidetracking of the navy bill for that purpose. The navy bill leaders intend to fight for preservation of their measure in the prior position, contending it is the first of the two measures mentioned in the agreement.

No one was entirely satisfied by the agreement but it was adopted merely to prevent continuance of a filibuster against the naval bill, so the senate could transact other business.

Senate leaders hoped to spend the remaining time before adjournment on some 800 bills which would have accumulated on the calendar during the two weeks of the session. The house had its calendar fairly well cleaned up and leaders there planned only to meet and adjourn today and tomorrow with only little legislative action.

CONGRESS TODAY

Senate

Takes up calendar bills.

Interstate commerce committee continues hearings on three nominations to the interstate commerce commission.

Military affairs committee considers calendar bills.

House

Meets to take up routine business.

Foreign affairs committee considers calendar simplification resolution.

UTAH NEARS THE BRAZIL CAPITAL, RIO DE JANEIRO

HOOVER SHIP WILL DROP ANCHOR IN HARBOR AT 2 P. M. TODAY

EXTENSIVE ENTERTAINMENT IS PLANNED BY BRAZILIAN OFFICIALS

By THOMAS L. STOKES

Aboard the U. S. S. Utah, Dec. 21. —The Utah, carrying President-elect Herbert Hoover homeward on his South American tour, today was just outside the outer harbor limits of Rio De Janeiro — the last city which the president-elect will visit on his trip before returning to Florida. The ship will drop anchor in the picturesque harbor at 2 P. M.

Two Brazilian cruisers, the Bahia and the Rio Grande Do Sul, stood by off the coast during the night awaiting the Utah to escort her into the harbor. The Utah steamed at 16 knots an hour throughout the night in clear, warm weather and a calm sea.

All of the members of the party retired early last night in anticipation of the extensive entertainment program which has been prepared by the Brazilian government in honor of the visiting American stateman.

Mr. Hoover will be officially welcomed at the docks by President Washington Luis of Brazil, Vice-President Mello Vianni, officials of the senate and chamber of deputies and other governmental authorities.

Later Mr. Hoover will hold a reception at Guanabara palace, which the government has set aside for his use during the stay in Brazil.

A special session of the national congress will be held Saturday. Mr. Hoover will address the meeting.

On Sunday, Mr. Hoover will make a tour of the city and the surrounding district. He will also confer with President Washington Luis.

DEVERS TO BE RETURNED TO MINNESOTA

ALLEGED GANGSTER AND PRISON BREAKER TO FACE TRIAL

CHARGES OF MAIL ROBBERY ARE BROUGHT AGAINST HIM

St. Paul, Dec. 21.—(UP)—Out of the score or more crimes laid at the door of Tom Underwood, gangster, gunman and prison breaker, known in the northwest as Frank "Bubbling Over" Devers, it appeared today that he would be returned from Memphis to stand trial in Minnesota on a charge of mail robbery.

The possibility of Devers' escape through legal channels was blocked at Memphis Thursday when his bonds were placed at $150,000 and a Mann act charge was placed against him.

Miss Johanna Bruce, 23, St. Paul waitress and soda clerk, who posed as Devers' wife and was arrested with him, was placed under $10,000 bond.

The first claim on Devers, it was understood, will be made by the federal government in connection with the kidnaping and robbery of a mail clerk and several pouches of registered mail at Hibbing two years ago. Devers is already under indictment on the mail robbery charge.

He is also wanted for numerous other crimes, principal of which are: prison breaks in Texas and Utah; jail break at Iowa City; suspect in the killing of two women in Chicago, and a suspect in the $20,000 payroll robbery, South St. Paul; $88,000 diamond robbery, Minneapolis; $30,000 Milbank, S. D., robbery, and $9,000 robbery of the Penn Avenue State Bank, Minneapolis.

It is understood that Devers will be returned to Minnesota early next week by Postal Inspector A. A. Anderson.

One of the interesting sidelights in the Devers story is that he was reported to have lived in and about the Twin Cities until two or three weeks ago. Several residents of St. Paul said that they had often seen a man of his description at the apartment of the Bruce girl and that he and Gus Nichols, Kansas City bootlegger, later arrested at Rochester and tried at Minneapolis for the $88,000 diamond robbery, lived in a cottage at a nearby lake.

John "Joe" Courtney, also since

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ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE CELEBRATES VICTORY



Here are (left to right) Superintendents Parker Shields of Missouri, A. C. Graham of Kentucky and D. L. McBride of Minnesota discussing new dry crusade at three-day "victory celebration" of Anti-Saloon League in Chicago.

BERLIN POLICE HAVE CLUES TO SHIP ROBBERY

Berlin, Dec. 21. — (U.P.) — Berlin police announced clues today which may lead to solution of the $500,000 mail robbery aboard the United States liner Leviathan last June.

An international detective mystery was revealed, involving a stoker aboard the Leviathan and a go-between on the continent who was to dispose of the stolen securities.

Berlin, Dec. 21.—(U.P.)—A revengeful woman, abandoned by her lover, has told police a story that they believed today would lead to solution of the $500,000 mail robbery aboard the U. S. liner Leviathan last June.

It revealed an amazing plot whereby a gang boarded the Leviathan as members of her crew, and rifled the mail sacks while she was at sea.

KING GEORGE HAS A MOST RESTFUL NIGHT

NO APPRECIABLE CHANGE NOTED IN MONARCH'S CONDITION

RAY-THERAPY TREATMENTS BEING CONTINUED BY PHYSICIANS

London, Dec. 21.—(UP)—A bulletin issued by King George's physicians shortly before noon today said: "The king had a restful night. There is no appreciable change to be noted."

The bulletin was timed 11:30 A. M.

No bulletin was issued at the palace last night, since the physicians felt the statement issued in the afternoon covered conditions sufficiently.

Continued progress for several more days, although it might even be as slow as that which the king has made during the past five days, will result in an absolute confidence on the part of the palace physicians that the king will ultimately recover, it was said.

Ray-therapy (ultra-violet ray) treatments are being continued by the physicians. The treatments have successfully controlled the poison in the lungs by strengthening the tissues and permitting other active treatment.

The king slept better during the night than he has for some time. Everything was quiet in his sickroom.

The medical expert of the Daily Express in commenting on the omission of the usual evening bulletin last night, said today:

"There could be no more satisfactory indication of the king's progress."

Southampton, England, Dec. 21.—Prince George, youngest son of the king, landed at 2:30 P. M. today from the Cunard liner Berengaria, en route from his station in Bermuda to the bedside of his father.

CLOWN IS MADE UNHAPPY BY WIFE

Chicago, Dec. 21.—(U.P.)—James Murphy used to be billed by Ringling Brothers' circus as "Happy Jim, the man who makes millions laugh," but he couldn't play the role of Pagliacci.

When happy, Murphy swung a slapstick with such vim that his audience of children screamed with delight. Unhappy, he was a failure.

He was made unhappy, he said in a divorce petition, by his wife and in consequence lost his job with the circus.

They separated in November, he said, but she continued to nag him and makes it a point to meet him often. He can't be happy, he said, while she has the slightest excuse to communicate with him.

LICENSE DAY FOR AMLIN, OHIO, YOUTH

Columbut, Ohio, Dec. 21.—(U.P.)—Today was "license day" for Laurence Shriver, 25, of Amlin. Shriver appeared at the courthouse and obtained a dog license, an automobile license and a license to marry Hazel Spindler, 21.

OFFICIAL START OF WINTER IS SHORTEST DAY

DAY AT CHICAGO IS ONLY NINE HOURS, 7 MINUTES IN LENGTH

THE PAS, MANITOBA, RECORDED 30 BELOW ON SPIRIT THERMOMETER

Chicago, Dec. 21.—(UP)—Winter came to Chicago and the middle west today, both by the calendar and by the thermometer.

Today is the winter solstice and the official beginning of winter and in keeping with the date the mercury slid down to 5 above here with sub-zero temperatures recorded in North Dakota, Minnesota and western Canada.

Winnipeg reported 10 below today and the Pas, Man., recorded as low as 30 below on spirit thermometers.

Astronomically, winter begins here at 8:04 A. M., although sunrise was scheduled at 7:15 and was to set at 4:22, the shortest day of the year measuring only 9 hours and 7 minutes.

Chicago, Dec. 21.—Seven deaths today were attributed to low temperatures and blizzards in the midwest.

Near Nunica, Mich., Norman Campbell, Stephen Leighton and Ralph Doolittle, Albion college students, perished when their automobile left the road in a snow storm and turned over in a ditch. They were on their way home for Christmas vacation.

Minnesota reported two deaths. Nicholas Hayes, St. Paul, dropped dead from cold and exhaustion while shoveling snow, and Mrs. James Dickinson, St. Cloud, was run down by an automobile while groping her way across the street through a driving snowstorm.

In Chicago Miss Mary Klingenberg set her house afire while trying to keep out the cold and was smothered to death in her bed room before firemen could rescue her.

Leo J. McGinn, flying the air mail route between Cleveland and Chicago, was killed when a blizzard struck down his airplane while he was flying over the village of Huron, Ohio.

From throughout the midwest came reports of zero or sub-zero temperatures. In Chicago the moist end of your cigarette froze between puffs in the bitter cold wind that blew in off Lake Michigan.

Snow and forecasts of snow before Christmas were reported from Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota, Indiana, Michigan and Ohio.

Health authorities who had been battling with an influenza epidemic during the moderately farm and humid days of early December, said the sudden cold snap had prevented the malady from spreading.

According to astronomical reckonings today was the shortest day of the year and the first day of winter.

St. Paul, Dec. 21.—Winter bowed its way into the northwest today on ice-laden winds which pounded down the mercury to the lowest point in the present season.

At Brainerd the government thermometer registered 21 degrees below zero last night and at 8 A. M. today had crept up only two degrees to 19 below zero.

In the Twin Cities, gayly decked with evergreens and Christmas trimmings, the temperature hovered around eight degrees below zero.

Moorhead reported 15 below zero at 6:30 A. M. and at Little Falls it was slightly warmer than the 17 below recorded during the night.

HOOVER TO VISIT PENNEY MANSION IN SOUTHLAND

Washington, Dec. 21.—(U.P.)—The palatial mansion of J. C. Penney, chain store magnate, located on Belle Island, Fla., has been accepted as the home of President-elect Hoover during his stay in the south upon his return from his good will tour to South America, republican national headquarters said today.

PERSONAL, CLUB and LOCAL NEWS

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The Dispatch will publish no paper on Christmas Day and New Year's Day, which are both legal holidays.

Contributors are asked to bring Christmas programs to Dispatch early Saturday for publication that day.

Miles Sweeney of St. Paul is in the city today on business.

Fred Branting arrived home yesterday from a trip to Chicago.

Reis for Dry Goods. 164tf-f

J. P. Anderson is leaving this evening on a business trip to Duluth.

Old Santa will be at the Quality Bake Shop on Saturday at 10 o'clock A. M. to wish the Little Folks a Merry Christmas and present them with a treat. 1t

A. R. Smith of Pequot was a business visitor in Brainerd yesterday.

Radio Service, Electric Garage. 170tf

Gust Boberg of Gull Lake called in Brainerd yesterday on business.

Free with every purchase of $5 or more, silver plated bridge set. Lundborg's, 614 Laurel. 1t

C. W. Marshall of Pequot called in the city this afternoon on business.

Ernest Ritari of Squaw Point was a business visitor this afternoon in the city.

Mrs. R. E. Bennett of Crosby was a Christmas shopper in Brainerd yesterday.

Our stock is especially selected with a view of assisting you in finding suitable gifts of jewelry and silverware. S. Vanek, Jeweler. 1t

Louis Schellin of Pine Center was a business visitor in the city this afternoon.

ELKS DANCE TONIGHT
Tickets 50c. Everybody welcome.
1t

Harry Pfiffner of Little Pine Resort called in the city on business yesterday.

Genuine Ford 13 plate battery—$8.50 at Tyrholm's. 169t3

J. H. Krekelberg left today on a business trip to Hackensack and Longville.

Battery Service, Electric Garage. 170tf

Mrs. J. E. Hillestad of Crystal Bay was a shopper in Barinerd yesterday afternoon.

Dance Tomorrow Night at Little Pine Pavilion
1t

Mrs. D. M. Peterson of Cokato was among Christmas shoppers in the city yesterday.

Beautiful dresser sets, the ideal gift for the young lady, $10 to $35. Lundborg's, 614 Laurel. 1t

Mrs. F. O. Young of Crow Wing spent yesterday in Brainerd doing Christmas shopping.

Mrs. Charles Palmer of Motley spent yesterday in the city doing Christmas shopping.

Pastel pictures for gifts. See them in our windows. Gorham's. 168t3

C. R. Funk of the Durant Motor Company, Minneapolis, is in Brainerd on business today.

Louis Magnuson and son, Edwin, of Platte Lake, were in the city on business this afternoon.

Mrs. Maud Persson and family of Dykeman were Christmas shoppers in the city this afternoon.

Mrs. Mae Cannon of the J. C. Penney Company, will spend Christmas at St. Cloud with relatives.

Joseph Gustafson arrived today from Chicago where he spent a couple of weeks with relatives.

Special for this week. Gold Seal Congoleum rug, 9x12, $10.95. Louis Hostager. 168t2

Attorney and Mrs. Per M. Larson, of Brainerd, will spend the Christmas holiday in Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ramsey of Slyvan were Christmas shoppers in the city yesterday afternoon.

Turkey and goose shoot, 2 mile store, junction 2 and 19, Sunday, from 9 to 5. 170t2p

Mrs. A. Schilb who has been very ill with the flu the past week is reported on the road to recovery.

R. J. Hart of Moose Lake arrived in the city last evening on business in connection with the new school.

Henry Burns left on the noon train today for Seattle, Wash., where he will spend a few weeks with friends.

Mrs. Oscar Carlson and two daughters of Crosby were Christmas shoppers in the city yesterday afternoon.

North Star crank case oil heater, for sale by Lake Region Motor Co. 169t3

Mrs. S. Ackerson of Pillager was among out of town Christmas shoppers in the city yesterday afternoon.

Gentlemen's strap watches in Bulovas, Hamilton, Elgin, Illinois, Hampden, Waltham, and others. Lundborg's, 614 Laurel. 1t

Scout Executive S. C. Bakken left for Staples this afternoon, where he expects to complete the training course.

It is not too late to place a subscription for their favorite magazine. We have pretty gift cards to send them. Service News Agency. 166t6

Mrs. David L. Frayer returned from St. Cloud last evening where she spent a couple days with her daughter.

Does your car start hard? Change to Shell. 169t3

Mr. and Mrs. George McCullough of Pillager were business visitors and Christmas shoppers in the city yesterday.

Miss Ellen Wood of Minneapolis has accepted a position at the Hebert Beauty Parlor, to succeed Miss Ruth Monasmith.

Albert Johnson of the Pure Milk Company, who has been very ill with the flu, is reported to be getting along nicely.

Miss Sue Schow is leaving this evening for her home in Minneapolis. She will spend her two weeks' vacation there.

Miss Margaret Anderson and her mother, Mrs. Andrew Anderson returned last evening from a couple days visit in the Twin Cities.

Ladies wrist watches, Elgin, Bulova, Illinois, Hampden, Waltham, and other good makes as low $8.50 to $75.00. Lundborg's, Jewelry. 1t

Miss Minnie Otterstad of the highway department left for Bemidji this noon to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otterstad.

Adolph Tryea, who is attending St. John's college, spent a few hours in the city yesterday en route to his home at Perham, for the holidays.

Miss Leila Hall of Mankato is expected to arrive in the city tomorrow evening. She will spend the Christmas holidays with friends here.

Most beautiful pastel pictures ever shown in Brainerd on display at Gorham's Studio. 168t3

William Cleary is expected this evening from Notre Dame university, South Bend, Ind., to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cleary.

Miss Melita Gansky will leave this evening for her home at Cross Lake to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Gansky.

The Weather

Minnesota — Mostly fair tonight and Saturday; not so cold.

Dec. 21.—Maximum 3 above at noon, minimum 21 below. Southeast wind. Cloudy.

BULLETIN BOARD

TONIGHT

Yeomen—Iron Exchange hall.
Mooseheart Women—Moose hall.
Rushworth Encampment—I. O. O. F. hall.
Scandinavian-American Fraternity—Iron Exchange.
Discussion class—Y. M. C. A.
Study class—Y. M. C. A.
Christmas party — First Baptist church.

Model Meat Market
323 So. 6th St. Phone 65

SATURDAY SPECIALS

Pot Roast, lb. 20c
Chuck Roast, lb. 23c
Rolled Rump Roast, no bones, lb. 30c
This beef is very cheap for its quality
Spring Lamb Legs, lb. 30c
Pork Shoulder Ribs, 3 lbs. for 20c
Pork Shoulder Roast, lb. 13c
Pork Butt Roast, lb. 16c
Pork Loin Roast, lb. 18c
Home Cured Hams, whole or half, lb. 23c

Mrs. Elizabeth Puetz left this morning for St. Paul. She expects to spend the remainder of the winter there with her daughter, Mrs. W. F. Dunstan.

TONIGHT is your last chance to see "Uncle Tom's Cabin," at the Lyceum. 1t

Miss Irene Quinn, teacher at Carleton college at Northfield, is spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Quinn, 611 Holly street.

Large assortment of attractive designs, moderately priced, ladies' and men's wrist watches. Come in and look them over. S. Vanek, Jeweler. 1t

Miss Gladys Trommald arrived today from Minneapolis and will spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Trommald, 502 North Seventh street.

Now, Change to Shell, costs no more than ordinary gasoline. 169t3

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jones of Billings, Mont., are expected on Monday and will spend the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Jones, 417 North Fourth street.

Miss Marion Linnemann, a student at the University of Minnesota, is expected home today to spend the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Emily Linnemann, 413 North Fourth street.

William Backen, who is attending the University of Minnesota, is spending the Christmas holidays with this parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Backen, 506 South Tenth Street.

Miss Gladys Babcock is expected home from the University of Minnesota Saturday to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Babcock, 817 South Tenth Street.

Walter Cleary, who is attending Mount St. Mary's at Emmetsburg, Md., arrived last evening to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cleary, 511 North Fifth street.

Miss Margaret Springer arrived from St. Cloud this afternoon where she is attending the State Teachers' college, to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Springer.

By making this a gift subscription Christmas, you save money, yet slighting no one. Service News Agency, phone 263-W. 166t6

Miss Gertrude Gartner, who arrived home a few days ago from Grand Forks, N. D., where her school was closed on account of the flu, is now suffering with a siege of the same illness.

Miss Margaret Dillan who is attending St. Olaf's at Northfield, arrived in the city last evening, and will spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Dillan.

William Olson and son Ernest of Superior, Wis., are expected in the city tomorrow to spend the holidays with Mr. Olson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Olson, 823 Eleventh avenue northeast.

Miss Jeannette Jackson is expected home Saturday from the Stout Institute at Menominee, Wis., to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Jackson, 704 North Seventh Street.

Xmas Tire Special—30x3½ Airway Cord, $3.95; 29x4.40 Airway Cord, $4.95. Tyrholm's. 169t3

Miss Dorothy Kleven, who is attending the State Teachers' college at St. Cloud, arrived in the city this noon to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Kleven, 415 North Broadway.

Miss Margaret Jackson who is attending the University of Minnesita, is expected home Saturday to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Jackson, 704 North Seventh street.

Brainerd Club No. 3 E. M. B. A. requests attendance of all members and their families at Christmas Tree party and program for the kiddies, Saturday evening, December 22, Moose hall, 7:30 o'clock. Santa will be there. J. E. Fourre, Secretary-Treasurer. 170t2

Mrs. M. J. Jett and son, Arthur, of Jamestown, N. D., left today for Bemidji to visit relatives. They spent the last couple of days at the home of Mrs. Jett's sister, Mrs. C. M. Olson, 416 South Fifth Street.

Visit our display of new and beautiful holiday goods. S. Vanek Jeweler. 1t

Miss Bernice Samuelson, who is attending the Gustavus Adolphus college at St. Peter, is expected home this evening to spend the holidays with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. August Samuelson, 717 Norwood.

Gaily plaided French handkerchiefs, which make a most acceptable gift for men, may be found at The Mary-Elizabeth Shop, 401 Juniper Street. 167tf

Miss Katherine Cleary arrived in the city last evening and will spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cleary, 511 North Fifth street. Miss Cleary is attending St. Mary's college, Notre Dame, Ind.

GIFTS. Inexpensive. There is a magazine to suit every purse. A gift of literature is always in the best of taste. Certain to please, for it is the easiest thing in the world to find out what a person reads. Service News Agency, phone 263-W. 166t3eod

Miss Elsie Swanson, who is attending the Gustavus Adolphus college at St. Peter, is expected home this evening to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Swanson, 218 North Ninth Street.

Our stock includes innumerable attractions perfectly adapted to meet the requirements of all in search of gifts. S. Vanek, Jeweler. 1t

Mrs. Albert Johnson accompanied her mother, Mrs. Erickson, to St. Cloud on the bus this morning. From St. Cloud Mrs. Erickson will leave for Granite Falls to spend the holidays with her daughter. Mrs. Johnson is expected home this evening.

The Fountain Inn carries the largest assortment of Standard and Home Made Xmas Candies in central Minnesota. Also Health Fruit, cigars and tobaccos. Visit us before you buy. When shopping lunch with us. We serve a special noon day luncheon, only 35c. 168t5

John Beck of the J. C. Penney Co. and Henry Erickson of the Red Owl Market will leave Saturday night for Minneapolis. From there Mr. Beck will go to Des Moines, Ia., to spend Christmas with his parents. Mr. Erickson will spend Christmas in Minneapolis with his sister, Mrs. E. B. Delaney.

Reproduction of original Willard Banjo Clock, Seth Thomas or New Haven, $18.50 to $25.00. Makes a beautiful gift. Lundborg's Jewelry. 1t

Hold Christmas Party

Twenty five employees of the Brainerd Exchange of the Northwestern Bell Telephone Company attended a Christmas party last evening in the offices of the company in the Walverman block. Refreshments were served after games were played.

ELKS DANCE TONIGHT
Tickets 50c. Everybody welcome.

Dance Tomorrow Night at Little Pine Pavilion

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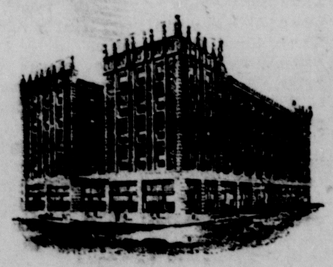


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The joyous Christmas season was emphasized in song, words, and music, at the program by the St. Francis school children yesterday.

The program given follows:

Chorus, "Christmas at Sea"—By boys of grades 5, 6, 7 and 8.

Acrostic, "Christmas" — Boys of room 1.

Playlet, Bethlehem's Star — Girls of room 1.

Vocal duet, "All He Wants"—Ernest and Clemence Hadersbeck.

Song, "Fairy Snow Flakes"—Intermediate grade girls.

Piano solo—Helen Egan.

Reading, "A Christmas Story"—Genevieve Peters.

Dialouge, "What is Your Way?"—Leland Eggerling and Delbert Meyers.

Chorus, "The Holly"—Girls of grades 7 and 8.

Recitation, "A Forecast" — Mary Ann Heath.

Reading, "Counting the Eggs"—Rosemary McKena.

Duet, "Silent Night" — Gertrude Remmels and Lois Wolford.

Recitation, "Christmas at Grandmas"—Gertrude Meyers.

Piano solo—Margaret Falkenreck.

Recitation, "The Radio" — Andre L. Hurley.

Song, "If Your Are Good"—Girls of room 6.

Recitation, "Santa and the Mouse"—Thomas LeNeau.

Pantomine chorus, "The Snow Man Clown"—Boys of grades 5 and 6.

Vocal solo, "Sonny Boy"—Colette McCarthy.

Recitation, "Christmas Bells" — Method Porwoll.

Dialogue, "Darning the Stockings"—Roy Erdmann and Henry Meyer.

Reading, Gates Ajar (Joyce Kilmre)—Gertrude Remmels.

Play—"The Christmas Star."

The Star—Kathleen Lutz.

The Christmas Angel — Margaret Falkenreck.

Three Shepherds — Rosemary McKenna, Mary Ann Heath, Dorothy Maghan.

Three Wisemen — Mary Louise Matchan, Marie Janeck, Mardelle McGaffgan.

Chorus—Girls of grades 3 and 4

Attaining Happiness.

Happiness is not to be solicited, but comes with an appearance of finality to be juggled with off-hand. It seems to be some kind of balance, as in riding a bicycle, attempted painfully a thousand times, and achieved at last without effort.—Elizabeth Bowen.

Crack Troops Now at "the Front"

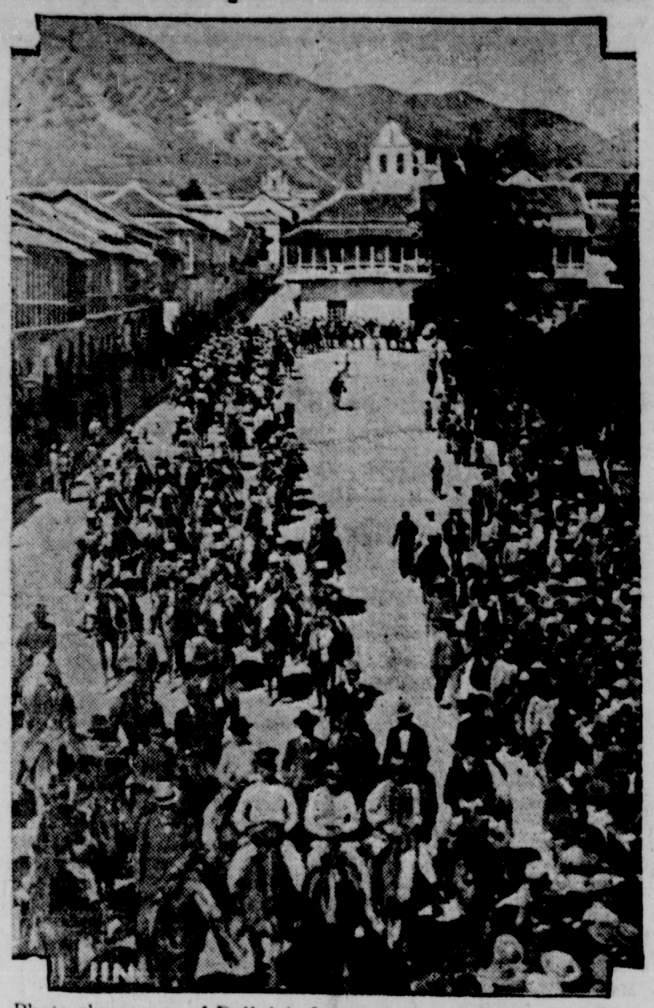


Photo shows one of Bolivia's finest cavalry regiments parading in Sucre recently during a demonstration of the country's military arm. It and every other available unit has been ordered to the Gran Chaco, where fierce fighting is reported between Bolivian and Paraguayan detachments.

(International Newsreel)

"Baby" in "Skyscraper."

Traveling in a special "skyscraper" crate, a baby giraffe recently went from its former home in South Africa to its new abode in England. The crate had to be specially constructed because of the animal's long neck, and exceptional precautions were taken to guard its health in its change from the tropical to the temperate climate, giraffes being delicate and subject to many ailments in northern climates.

Color and Sound.

It is said that at least 2 per cent of human beings associate a particular color with each sound they hear and sometimes this extends to the names of days of the week.

Keeping Cut Roses.

The life of cut roses can be prolonged, often to an extraordinary extent, if every night they are taken from their bowl or vase, a tiny bit snipped off the stalk, and then roughly scratched with the finger nail or one side of the scissors at intervals up the length, and then plunged right into a very deep pail of cold water. Even if the flowers themselves sometimes get under the water it does not matter.

Steam in the Cylinder.

Repression, some one has said, is a capital method of expression; it is the steam in the cylinder that turns the wheels, not that which is blown from the whistle.—American Magazine.

FRENCH WOMAN CLAIMS RIGHT TO WEAR PANTS

MADAME VIOLETTE MORRIS IS CHAMPION FRENCH WOMAN AUTOMOBILE DRIVER

STARTS SUIT AGAINST FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S SPORTS OF FRANCE

Paris, Dec. 21.—(UP)—Madame Violette Morris, champion French woman automobile driver, has sued the Federation of Women's Sports to uphold her right to wear pants and swear.

Madame Morris seeks 100,000 francs because she was refused a license by the Federation on the grounds:

First, that she continues to wear pantaloons or breeches despite the objections of federation officials.

Secondly, that she personally seeks the favor of sports writers.

Thirdly, that her language and habits are shocking and objectionable to the federation's membership.

Madame Morris said today that she is the granddaughter of a French army general, and admitted that her language contains many picturesque phrases learned in army barracks. She objects, however, to quitting pantaloons.

"Look around you and see the women with their knees crossed," she said. "Ask yourself, which is more immodest, their scanty dresses or my pantaloons?"

The case has aroused intense interest in smart circles of Paris, as well as in the sporting world. The trial will come up probably in January.

The Pastor Says:

No credit ever cancels a debit in conduct. Each stands until repented for.—John Andrew Holmes

FIRST CHRISTMAS NIGHT OF ALL

By NANCY BYRD TURNER
in Good Housekeeping

THAT first Christmas night of all,
No lights were in the dreaming town,
No steeples shook their tidings down,
No carols raised their call.

But music broke upon a hill,
And all the dark was strangely stirred,
With beauty of bright angels' word—
A word that echoes still.

And in a dim and dusty stall,
A little light began to glow,
That Christmas night so long ago—
First Christmas night of all!

TOWN OF JEREZ REPELS REBEL ATTACK

Mexico City, Dec. 21.—(U.P.)—A dispatch from La Prensa's correspondent at Zacatecas today said local defenders of the town of Jerez fought 150 rebels for three hours. Nine rebels and five defenders were killed in the battle.

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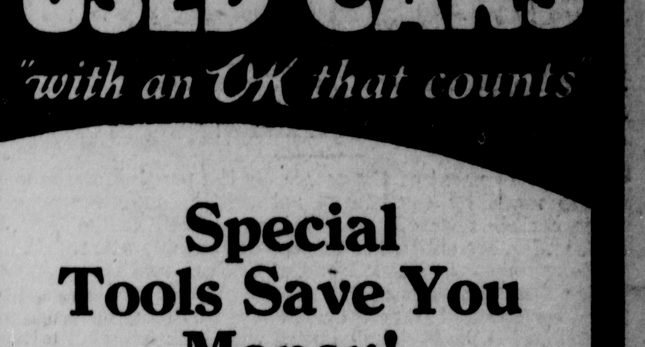
Here you will find a full line of fresh Garrott's and Lydia Darrah chocolates, also home-made fruit cakes with Yuletide wrappings. Individual Christmas trees will lend a festive air to the holiday table.

We desire to thank all our patrons and friends for their generous support in the past year and to wish all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

In order that our employees may fittingly enjoy ChristmasDay, we will be closed all day Tuesday.

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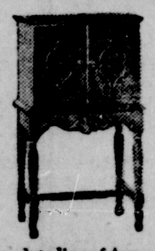
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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1928

A PLEA FOR THE REPORTER

THE New York Herald recently made this plea for the reporter.

If intelligence be defined as the ability to reach a reasonably correct conclusion from a set of discoverable facts, Dr. E. E. Free told a gathering of engineers the other night, then mechanics rank as the most intelligent men in America. To engineers he gave second place, and he set the actors, physicians, ministers and professors in one jumbled heap at the bottom of the class.

We would not take a single laurel from the brow of the garage mechanic, and we would not quarrel with the assertion that the once learned professions have settled in their ruts. But Dr. Free omitted one important, if small, classification of mankind. If intelligence be, as Dr. Free seems to suggest, that intuition which listens to a car's choke and follows the spasm to its source, then it is akin to the gift which detectives have in the story-books, though not, at the moment, in the New York police force. And if so, then we would raise a plea for the humble reporter, the lad who, in a flustered crowd, can find the one man who can tell a straight story of what happened, who can interview forty shipwrecked travelers as they walk down the gangplank and build a connected story out of their contradictory misrememberings, who can gallop out on a tip from his city editor, follow a dozen clues in vain, yet finally land his story—incomplete, perhaps, but "reasonably correct," vastly closer to the fact than a dozen of his current critics could come in as many days as the reporter has hours to work in.

Without the stage notebook, but with the inevitable ultra-slouch hat, we set the old-fashioned newspaper reporter upon the pedestal of intelligence, side by side with Dr. Free's mechanic.

WHERE TWO'S A NUISANCE

IT was only a few months ago that the Northwest was "sitting pretty, thank you," before the radio, getting the best the nation had to offer, over WCCO. It was an admirable service the people were receiving. Its national hookup was so satisfactory that when this Minneapolis station was turned on, the family was content to listen in, and give WCCO the exclusive right of the air.

Then for some reason St. Paul had to have a station, which up to date has functioned poorly. So far as St. Cloud is affected it is far from satisfactory. That didn't matter much, because WCCO was so very satisfactory and comfortable. But later the Minneapolis station appeared to get in a controversy with the big national broadcasting managers, and the result was an infliction on the Northwest. The quality of the service given by WCCO has deteriorated, and what the St. Paul station sends is so poorly delivered, that it isn't delivered at all. If the national advertisers are paying good money to this station, they made a poor deal.

Now when the family wants to hear such a program as they formerly got from WCCO, and which supplied all their desires, they now tune in to some outside station, Chicago, Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, or Denver. The latter, by the way, comes the nearest to filling the place formerly held by the Minneapolis broadcaster.

It is to be regretted that Minnesota is taking about a fifth rate place in broadcasting when it formerly was at the top in very excellent service.

With one station we were happy, but when St. Paul butted in two became a nuisance.—*St. Cloud Journal-Press.*

IS THIS AMERICA?

IN a government of the people, by the people, for the people, laws are made by constituted authorities, enforcement comes through certain channels, and judges, as well as the laws they operate under, are entitled to respect and consideration.

Along comes the Black Hand of Chicago and threatens death to judge, star witnesses of the sovereign state of Illinois, prosecuting attorneys and all police officials, if further progress is made in the trial of three Italians charged with kidnaping Billy Ranieri and demanding $60,000 ransom.

Illinois, years ago, following a noted kidnaping case whose perpetrators sought ransom, invoked the death penalty on all criminals found committing such kidnaping.

The Ranieri matter, now aired in court, is concerned about the kidnaping of 10-year-old Billy Ranieri. Ten important witnesses for the state have fled the city because they were given warnings by the Black Hand that their homes would be bombed and children kidnaped if they gave testimony.

All persons now entering the court room are searched for weapons, reminding one of the days of the wild west when weapons were stacked at the door to prevent promiscuous shooting while justice was dispensed.

Chicago has its racketeering problem and also its Black Hand activity, both taxing the resources of the law.

WE know a bright woman of Brainerd who changes her weekly calendar to put the Monday washing into the electric washer at the end of the week instead of on a blue Monday. And on Saturday she also gains the help of the children who have no school duties.

WITH little snowfall present, skating will be a major sport this winter. And ice boating, too, thrives on clear ice. The winter isn't half as long if one has a program of sport to couple with it besides shoveling walks and loading furnaces.

IF God has been good to you and your family, remember those not so fortunate who may have little or no Christmas cheer. The city and school nurse, the county nurse, the child welfare worker, will quickly tell you of honest cases of need.

SEASONAL weather is always more profitable for the clothier, shoe man, coal man and others. Winter clothing is sold in winter. Nobody ever bought an overcoat in June.

CHRISTMAS shopping is getting down to the last laps and holiday business is speeding up. Good roads are bringing many people to town.

THE shortest day of the year today happens also to be the coldest one of the season.

ONE notices many community Christmas gatherings at the rural school houses.

HEADLESS BODY OF MAN IS FOUND IN CLEVELAND

POLICE TRY TO PENETRATE MYSTERY SURROUNDING DEATH

"VOODOO DOCTOR" BELIEVED IMPLICATED IN THE SLAYING

Cleveland, O., Dec. 21.—(U.P.)—The headless body of a man was held at the county morgue here today while police tried to penetrate the mystery surrounding his death.

In Charity hospital, with bullet wounds in both legs, was a "voodoo doctor" who is believed to have been implicated in the man's death although the story he told gave police no light on the mystery.

The "voodoo doctor" was shot when he attempted to flee from a House Detective Charles Rhodes and other officers were watching his room.

After he was removed to the hospital he confessed that two days ago he killed Nehemiah Gibbs with a piece of iron, robbed him of $35, then took the body to the basement of his house and chopped the head off with an ax.

A headless body was found by Theodore Arnstead, a roomer. And the head was found in an old cupboard, but police, checking the "doctor's" story, went to Gibbs' home and found him alive.

The "doctor," according to police, was arrested here a year ago for illegal practice of medicine.

HAD PLANS FOR UPRISING IN NORTH CHINA

Peking, Dec. 21.—(U.P.)—Communists arrested at Pon-Ting, near here, were found to be carrying plans for a general uprising in north China, it was said in authoritative quarters here today.

The Chinese nationalist government's director of public safety has guaranteed the protection of foreign lives in the event of any troubles, it was said.

Troop movements north and east of the city are reported to be continuing.

Definite reports from Chungking, where attacks on British ships and property were reported, are lacking.

SUFFERED 21 YEARS; THEN FOUND SARGON

Fargo Was Almost Helpless With Rheumatism and His Recovery Causes Many Friends to Take Sargon, Too

"Sargon not only rid me of twenty-one years of rheumatism and built me up twelve pounds in weight, but several of my friends are taking the medicine with just as remarkable results," was the statement made by E. B. Fargo, veteran retired railroad man, who resides at 214 North Seventh St., Minneapolis. Mr. Fargo was a trainman with the Chicago-Northwestern for twenty-one years and has a host of friends both in and out of the service, who will be glad to hear of his wonderful recovery.

"I was almost doubled up with rheumatism and spent hundreds of dollars on treatments and medicines but not a one of them reached my case until some of the railroad boys put me on to Sargon. My arms were so painful that I was almost helpless to dress myself and my leg and body were so badly affected that I could walk only with great difficulty. My appetite was next to nothing and between the rheumatism and my generally weak, run-down condition I was just about past going.

"It would be hard to mention a treatment or medicine that I have not tried since this rheumatism first started on me twenty-one years ago. The time and money must amount to thousands of dollars, but in spite of it all the rheumatism hung on and Sargon is the only thing that got rid of it.

"I could tell from the very first bottle of Sargon that I was on the right track at last for the medicine took right hold and the pains began to leave me. I have now taken six bottles and the rheumatism is a thing of the past. I also eat hearty, and feel stronger and one hundred per cent better in every way.

"My case has got a lot of people to taking Sargon already for when my friends see how well I am now they all want to know what did it, and when I tell them Sargon a lot of them go and get the medicine for themselves and they have all gotten such splendid results that they have everyone thanked me for putting them on to it."

Sargon may be obtained in Brainerd from H. P. Dunn; and in Pequot from A. S. Rasmussen. —Advt.



MR. AND MRS. PHILIP were nice people, but somehow or other they had missed out on the general prosperity of the times. They had no automobile to take them to the "movies"; in fact they rarely went. No radio kept them at home evenings, but while Mrs. Philip darned stockings and patched clothing, Mr. Philip would read aloud to her from the great poets, or from a classic novel. Daytimes they both worked hard, she with her housekeeping, and he at his bookkeeper's job. By strict economy they always managed to pay their rent on the first, and they always had an extra dollar in the bank when some unforseen trouble sent one of the little family to the doctor or the dentist. But Christmas was always a hardship. Plan as they would, they never seemed able to get anything ahead for this holiday. A broken water pipe in the small home, extra books for little Phil's school work, or perhaps new paper for one of their tiny rooms always seemed to take the small surplus on which they had planned to make a festive Christmas. They all hung up their stockings Christmas eve and they had a roast chicken for dinner the next day. Mr. Philip would read some Christmas stories to the family after breakfast. And that was the extent of their celebration.

Being nice people, they were a happy little family, and never complained. Of course they were sorry not to be able to do more for little Phil, but he was well, was receiving a good schooling, and was being



"That's Three Pounds and More for Each!" He Said.

brought up in the way he should go. In fact he was a model child. In his small way he seemed at twelve as mature as his parents. When he came in from play he would take a book and read till it was supper time. He had a magazine route that occupied him Saturdays delivering papers, and in that way he earned all of his own spending money, about thirty cents a week. At Christmas he would give out of his small savings some tiny ornament to his mother, and a lovely tie to his father.

Just the day before Christmas Mrs. Philip was thinking of what a nice little boy she had when she heard him talking to three of his playmates in the yard. "Yes sir-ee-ee," he was insisting, "we're having a ten-pounder, an' all for just three. That's three pounds and more for each!"

Mrs. Philip was thunderstruck. This was a new phase of little Phil—bragging, and lying. She couldn't believe her ears, for of course they weren't having a turkey for Christmas and in fact it was even doubtful if they would have a chicken this year—chickens were so high.

But being a nice mother she didn't yell at her son, and waited till evening to talk it over with her husband. They then decided that since it was little Phil's first lie—almost his first offense, they would overlook it until some further evidence of corruption should appear in him. Besides, it was only natural for the poor child to exaggerate on the day before Christmas.

What was the surprise of Mr. and Mrs. Philip next morning to find under their stockings a nice ten-pound turkey, which was not from Santa Claus, either, but from their own dear little Phil, who had denied himself his small extravagances for months in order to make this a real Christmas for them all. So little Phil had not lied, and this together with his sacrifice, made Mrs. Philip much happier even than the ten-pound turkey did, or could.

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Root of Jealousy.

The jealous man is not angry if you dislike another, but if you find those faults which are in his own character, you discover not only your dislike of another, but of himself.—Addison.

Mammoths and Man.

The first direct association of man and mammoths has been discovered in South Africa, where Stone age implements have been discovered in the same spot with teeth of the huge extinct beasts. The mammoths lived during the Ice age.

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RADIO PROGRAMS

Today
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5:45 p. m.—Livestock market summary.
5:55 p. m.—Summary market report and road conditions bulletin; news report.
6:00 p. m.—Cecelian Singers; Alma Weston Smith, accompanist; Paul Oberg, pianist.
7:00 p. m.—United Grand Opera Co.
8:00 p. m.—Howard Melaney, the Singing Fireman; Paul Oberg, accompanist.
8:30 p. m.—Merry Ramblers.
9:00 p. m.—Musical program.
9:30 p. m.—Wheaties quartet.
10:00 p. m.—Weather report.
10:05 p. m.—Dance program—Emmet Long's orchestra; Adrian Revere, baritone; Ramona Gerhard, accompanist.
11:05 p. m.—Dance program—Wally Erickson's orchestra.

KSTP

6:45 p. m.—Moorman Entertainers.
7:30 p. m.—Town Criers orchestra; Art White, tenor.
8:01 p. m.—Wrigley review.
9:00 p. m.—Stromberg-Carlson Sextet.
10:03 p. m.—KSTP Amos 'n Andy.
11:30 p. m.—National Limited, dance feature.

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WJZ and Network, 6 p. m.—Great moments in history.

WEAF and Network, 7 p. m.—Cities Service hour.

WJZ and Network, 8 p. m.—Wrigley review.

WOR and Network, 8 p. m.—True Story hour.

WOR and Network, 9 p. m.—United Opera company.

Saturday
WCCO

7:00 a. m.—Time signal program.
9:15 a. m.—Program for the day and news bulletin.
9:50 a. m.—Weather and market reports; New York stock exchange.
11:30 a. m.—Market reports and New York stock exchange.
12:00 m.—Hotel Lowry trio.
12:30 p. m.—Weather and market reports.
5:55 p. m.—Summary market report and road conditions bulletin; news report.
6:00 p. m.—Ramona Gerhard, pianist.
6:15 p. m.—Dinner concert—Wesley Barlow's orchestra; Archibald Sowden, violinist; Paul Oberg, accompanist.
6:30 p. m.—The World Book Man.
7:00 p. m.—Music Box trio.
7:30 p. m.—Fireside Philosophies—Rev. Roy L. Smith, of Simpson M. E. church, Minneapolis.
7:45 p. m.—The Old Producer.
8:00 p. m.—Musical program.
8:30 p. m.—Musical program.
9:00 p. m.—Musical program.
10:00 p. m.—Weather report.
10:05 p. m.—Dance program—Dick Long's orchestra; Bob Barker, tenor; Ramona Gerhard, accompanist.

KSTP

7:00 p. m.—The Beachcombers.
8:01 p. m.—Philco hour.
9:00 p. m.—Lucky Strike dance orchestra.
10:03 p. m.—Amos 'n' Andy.
11:15 p. m.—The Howdy Boy, Happy Harry.
11:25 p. m.—National Limited—Dance feature.

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No doubt, in the wrong direction.
The road was bumpy and poor,
So, soon, the motor needed inspection.

Have your motor inspected regularly. This little precaution will save you a lot of needless worry.

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this year would be a year's subscription to The Brainerd Daily Dispatch. To a friend or relative interested in Brainerd, its citizens, and its progress it will keep him or her in constant touch with Brainerd and its activities as well as being a daily messenger of your thoughtfulness.

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The Brainerd Daily Dispatch

HEAVYWEIGHT ELIMINATION IS PROBEEM IN FISTICUFFS

IS COMPETITOR OF RICKARD AND C. C. PYLE

ERRATIC CAREER AS BOXING PROMOTER MARKED BY FIASCOS

ALMOST AS NOTEWORTHY AS RICKARD FLOP AND PYLE BUNION DERBY

By DIXON STEWART
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

Chicago, Dec. 21.—Jim Mullen, promotion competitor of Tex Rickard and C. C. Pyle, has promoted himself into a $20,000 a year job.

Mullen's erratic career as a boxing promoter has been marked by frequent fiascos almost as noteworthy as Rickard's Tunney-Heeney show or Pyle's "bunion derby." Mullen's "busts" have been many and seldom been offset by successes.

Mullen, who claims to have made his first dollar in Chicago by selling the city hall to a "rube," has signed as match maker for the newly organized Coliseum Athletic club at a salary of $20,000 a year.

In the last year Mullen lost money on almost every show — including even such a "natural" as the Mickey Walker-Ace Hudkins championship fight. Creditors foreclosed a mortgage on the Mullen gymnasium and the former czar was counted out of the ring game in Chicago.

Following Mullen's enforced retirement Mique Malloy advanced to the ranking of Chicago's leading fight promoter. Monday Malloy staged his first important fight, at the Coliseum, and drew a $37,000 gate. Some 2,000 fans were turned away.

Malloy's success gave the Coliseum board of directors something to think about and brought the announcement that the Coliseum Athletic club had been organized to conduct all future boxing shows at the Coliseum. The Coliseum club included a group of wealthy business men.

Directors of the new club declared they would hire "one of the most successful match makers in the state" as match maker for the Coliseum. The next announcement brought the news that Mullen, despite his many failures, was to be the match maker.

ALLEYS KIDS BEAT BRAINO BEVERAGES

MOOSE NO. 1 DEFEATS MOOSE NO. 2 TWO OUT OF THREE IN EXCITING MATCHES

The Moose No. 1 team took the Moose No. 2 team into camp last night for two of three games, while the Alley Kids took three straight from the Braino Beverages.

The Moose games were mighty interesting and both teams had leather-lunged rooters in the gallery.

Dave Montgomery, with 579, was high man for the evening.

The box scores follow:

ALLEY KIDS—			
Boyd	140	162	165—467
Miller	146	151	127—424
Hall	137	147	145—429
Hallas	137	146	153—436
Trask	143	150	182—475
Handicap	57	57	57—171
Totals	760	813	829 2402
BRAINO BEVERAGES—			
Roth	122	120	81—323
Blind	140	140	140—420
Blind	140	140	140—420
Blind	140	140	140—420
Blind	140	140	140—420
Handicap	20	20	20— 60
Totals	702	700	661 2063
MOOSE NO. 2—			
Handeland	132	180	155—465
L.Montgomery	183	213	107—503
Blind	140		—140
Morcomb	124	173	100—397
Brandow	145	147	144—436
Beggs		120	149—269
Handicap	57	77	77—211
Totals	781	910	720 2521
MOOSE NO 1—			
D.Montgomery	184	213	182—579
E.Montgomery	154	130	168—452
Holly	127	106	137—370
Crust	125	125	114—364
Sylvester	163	130	134—427
Handicap	100	100	100—300
Totals	853	804	835 2492

Artificial "Snow."

Once a novelty, "chemical snow" is now manufactured by the ton instead of by the ounce. It is increasingly used for refrigeration, for under certain conditions this substance is said to be 15 times as efficient as water ice. Ice cream, now shipped from New York to Cuba, weighs only one-third as much as it would if packed with ice.

JAMES MULLEN PROMOTES SELF TO $20,000 JOB

Audition Winners



A $5,000 prize each and two years' scholarship in any American musical academy—that was what fell into the hands of pretty Hazel C. Arth and Donald Novis, winners of the 1928 national radio audition. They were snapped as they received the prizes.
(International Newsreel)

CHRISTMAS!

By James Edward Hungerford

CHRISTMAS! The magical, musical
ring of it—
No finer word in the world can be found!
Molded and made for us mortals to sing of it;
Full of the "tingle" that makes pulses
pound!

CHRISTMAS! The lilt and the rhythm
and THRILL of it!—
Dear, loving word that was made to
impart
HAPPINESS, friends—may you all have
your FILL of it—
Feeling the throb of it deep in your
HEART!

CHRISTMAS! It's coming to wipe away
care again—
Blotting out memories tragic and drear;
Bringing rich BLESSINGS for mankind to
share again—
Filling our hearts with the magic of
CHEER!

CHRISTMAS! To some it means COURAGE to start again;
Help for the helpless, and strength for
the strong;
Giving the hopeless a chance to take heart
again—
God's loving gifts to humanity's throng.

CHRISTMAS! We all love the sound and
the sing of it;
Sinner and saint, and the godless and good;
Hearts of the world all respond to the ring
of it—
Bringing mankind into one BROTHERHOOD!

CHRISTMAS! All Nations rejoice to the
THRILL of it—
Paupers and peasants; the rich and
renowned;
Spirit of Love—may we bow to the will
of it—
Then we'll have CHRISTMAS the
whole year around!

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TEX RICKARD CALLS COUNCIL OF 4 WISE MEN

TUNNEY-MULDOON TROPHY COMMITTEE ARE SUMMONED

RICKARD EXPLAINS PRESENT DIFFICULTIES AMONG "HEAVIES"

By GEORGE KIRKSEY
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

New York, Dec. 21.—Something's got to be done about the heavyweights to get them eliminated and Tex Rickard gathered four wise and wary men around a luncheon table today for that very purpose.

It was the first meeting of members of the Tunney-Muldoon trophy committee members and Tex Rickard asked them to make a rule forcing all the contenders to enter an elimination tournament and fight it out for the vacated heavyweight title.

Besides Rickard, the committee is composed of John McEtee Bowman, hotel owner; Judge Jeremiah T. Mahoney; Bernard Gimbel, merchant millionaire and close friend of Gene Tunney; and Herbert Bayard Swope, editor of the New York World.

When a fellow like Jim Maloney is back knocking at the door of the heavyweight elimination tournament, the situation could hardly be what one would describe as ideal.

Maloney, knocked out by Jack Sharkey, George Godfrey and Tom Heeney less than two years ago, fights Con O'Kelly, Irish importation, in a 10-round bout at Madison Square Garden tonight. And if he wins who can deny him a place in the tournament?

Rickard, explaining the present difficulties among the heavyweights, said, "They all want to fight Risko and then meet Dempsey."

Everyone figures Risko, who made so much trouble last winter, is through as a dangerous fighter and it looks like everyone is almost right. Godfrey's body punches did it, they say.

Even poor old Tom Heeney thinks he's entitled to a match with Dempsey for the heavyweight championship. Charlie Harvey, Heeney's manager, has been worrying Rickard for days about the match, but Tex won't even talk to him.

Johnny Buckley, Sharkey's manager, was due in town today to listen to Rickard's proposition for Sharkey to fight Young Stribling at Miami Beach, Fla., in February. But there was some doubt whether he would sign.

There seems to be some suspicion among the Sharkey crowd about fighting Stribling, a southerner, in Florida.

Helpful Visitor.

Don't feel you must be just as funny as you can be when visiting a sick person in order to cheer him up. Keep a pleasant face and try to be entertaining, but don't talk so much that you tire the patient.

Oh, for a Golf Pro's Life!



What could be sweeter than the job Leo Diegel, P. G. A champion, has annexed for the coming two years. Here he is on the links at the Aguas Caliente Golf Club, attending, in his capacity as club pro, to the business of instructing pretty Sally O'Neill of the movies.
(International Newsreel)

BRAINERD 25 YEARS AGO

From the Daily Dispatch

December 21, 1903

C. W. Koering left today for Little Falls on business.

J. M. Elder left for the Twin Cities on business this noon.

W. S. Jordan returned yesterday afternoon from Aitkin where he had been on business.

Oscar Marshall left this afternoon for Eau Claire, Wis., where he expects to spend Christmas.

Mrs. S. D. Nicholson and Mrs. A. D. Peterson, her daughter, left this afternoon for the Twin Cities for a few days visit.

Miss Nannie Nicholson who has been visiting in the city the guest of her brother, Dr. Nicholson, left today for her home at Strout, Minn.

Miss Josephine Crossley, who has been visiting in the city a guest of her sister, Mrs. C. L. Burnett, left yesterday for her home at Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Henry Nichols, of Menonominee, Wis., and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Nichols of the same place arrived in the city this afternoon. The former will make her home in Brainerd this winter with her son, Charles A. Nichols.

The condition of H. Carney remains about the same. At times he sinks very rapidly and on different occasions he has been thought to be dying but he seems to revive from these attacks and is holding on and making a great fight against death. His condition, however, is not in the least encouraging and the attending physicians state that he cannot live.

Charles Collins and Isaac Johnson, of Toledo, Ohio, who have been visiting in the city during the last few days, returned this afternoon.

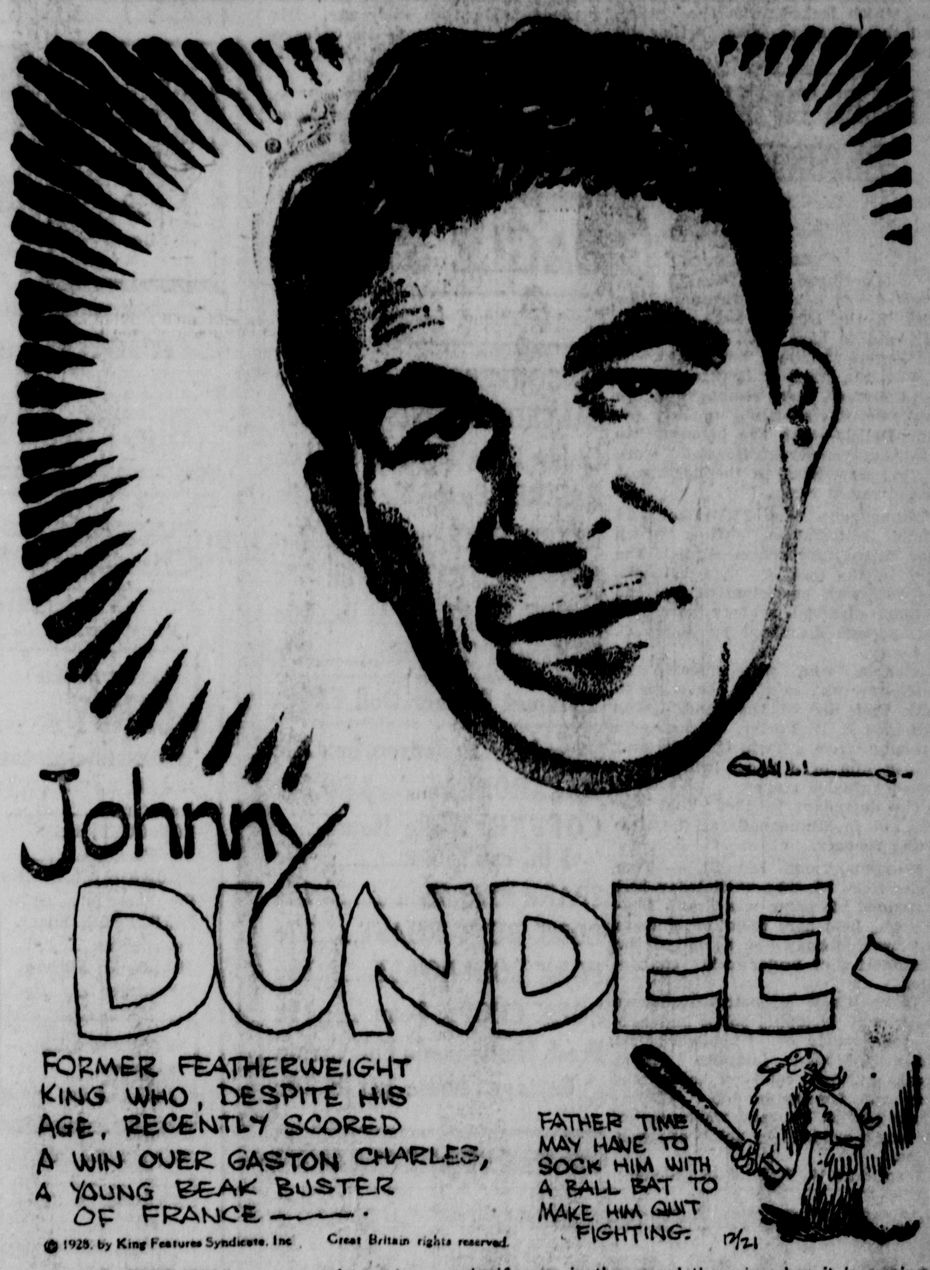
A Thrilling "Uncle Tom" On View at the Lyceum Theatre

Adjectives fail when it comes to telling about "Uncle Tom's Cabin" the Universal masterpiece which has its last showing at the Lyceum tonight. This production will undoubtedly go down into screen history as the greatest picture of all time. For entertainment reaction, production value, perfection of cast and direction and historical correctness, "Uncle Tom's Cabin" more than realizes the high anticipation prior to its first showing.

BUT LITTLE HERE BELOW



The Old War Horse



By QUIN HALL.

WHEN Santa Claus makes his rounds next week he might just as well leave a pair of boxing gloves for Johnny Dundee, because if we're not mistaken, Johnny is going to be a box fighter if he ever grows up.

Seriously speaking, Johnny has been campaigning in the cauliflower industry and it is likely that he will continue to box as long as he can lift his hand high enough to sign up for a bout or climb into a ring without the aid of crutches. Johnny is one of these oldsters who just refuses to give up, and if Ol' Father Time is going to do anything about it he'll probably have to use a baseball bat to sock Johnny down and put him entirely out of the picture.

The former featherweight king came back in New York recently and won a decision over Gaston Charles, a youthful Frenchman, and once a fighter of the Dundee type tastes victory it is difficult to keep him from continuing in his chosen profession.

The old fellow groped his way through the early rounds and in the eighth he came to life with enough of his old time magic to score a decision and while the victory has no significance in the current fistic pattern it proved that Dundee, under a handicap of old age, still has more fighting brains than 99 per cent of the present crop of so-called beak busters.

The old snap and dash for which Dundee became noted is sadly lacking but the old masterly judgment of pace is still functioning. But the ringsiders who orbed that melee hope that Dundee will not fight again. On the other hand, Dundee says that he will continue to bound off the ropes and mystify his opponents.

There are two sides to why Dundee still continues to seek bouts and refuses to stay out of the game. One has to do with the fact that he loves to fight. The other centers about the rumor that he is short on funds and refuses to have benefits staged in his behalf. Dundee built up a fortune for himself before the days of heavy gates and salted it away for his old age. The present rumor has to do with the subject of bad judgment in investments and the information seems to show that the little fellow is pretty well "cleaned." Sad, if true, because Dundee, personally, is a likable soul and when a fighter has enough sense to guard the coin when it is coming in and then loses it through an error of judgment or bad advice it is rather pitiful. If Dundee is really fighting to get a new stake he deserves to get a break because he always gave the public a run for its money when he was in his prime and deserves a lot of credit for not giving up, even now.

On the other hand it is a known fact that Dundee has always liked the game. Even when he was flush with money and yet past the age where he could expect to do his best fighting, he always visited a gym every day and kept himself in the pink of condition. And he was constantly nibbling for a chance to get in a ring. He liked to fight and he loved the glamor of it all.

It got so that Joe Humphries, the official New York announcer, when introducing Dundee from the ring always stated that Johnny had retired. This got under Dundee's hide and he used to insist that Humphries would eliminate that part of the introduction before he'd agree to be introduced.

"I haven't retired and I don't intend to for a long time," says Johnny in that husky voice of his. And it may really be a long time before he hangs up the gloves.

MORE BLASTS DO DAMAGE IN LONDON

ENDANGER FOUNDATIONS OF BUILDINGS IN THE DISTRICT

17 PERSONS, INCLUDING THOSE GASSED, WERE INJURED

London, Dec. 21.—(UP) — Additional explosions of gas mains in the west end and central London district early today did further damage and endangered the foundations of buildings in the district.

Seventeen persons, including seven who were gassed, were injured in the explosions which began yesterday and continued intermittently for 20 hours after the first main burst. An explosion of an electric dynamo on which repair men were working in a manhole caused the first main to explode.

At 10 P. M. yesterday, officials announced that all mains had been sealed, but another of the storage tanks beneath the streets burst into flames at 2:30 A. M. today. It was feared that other tanks or mains might explode. At times the flames from the explosions shot fifty feet into the air.

Throughout the night, the district—one of the busiest traffic and business centers of the city—was paralyzed. For more than a mile the streets were shattered or bulged as though there had been an earthquake.

Storekeepers and those living in the district who had been ordered to evacuate when it was seen that buildings might collapse, mingled throughout the night with hundreds of persons who came to view the havoc. Workmen with gas masks made every effort to stop the flow of gas which leaked from the mains and threatened to cause further explosions.

Troops Mutiny, Ruler in Flight



...raged at "westernization" orders of King Amanullah and his ...val consort, Queen Souriya (inset), units of Afghanis...n's army rebelled and chased their majesties into hiding. The ...oto shows a patrol of Sepoys on duty near Kabul in the ...tumn of 1925, at which time Amanullah had another uprising on his hands.

(International Newsreel)

DEVERS TO BE RETURNED TO MINNESOTA

(Continued from Page 1)

arrested and held at Brainerd for trial in the Ironton bank robbery, was said to have been a visitor at the Devers "summer home."

With the arrest of Devers, Nichols and Courtney, there remains at large only two others—Bill Finn and Arthur Delisle—who are believed to have been the perpetrators of a score of "big time jobs" in the northwest during recent years.

Minneapolis, Dec. 21.—After 26 hours' deliberation, during which they failed to reach a verdict, the jury in the case of Gus Nichols, charged with participation in the $88,000 diamond robbery here last Oct. 3, was dismissed by Judge C. C. Leary.

Nichols, who was arrested at Rochester, was said by the state to have been one of the bandits who kidnaped E. H. Porter, Chicago gem salesman, from a Twin City bus and robbed him of a pouch which contained valuable stones.

The defendant testified that he was not in Minneapolis at the time of the robbery.

Memphis, Tenn., Dec. 21. — Tom Underwood, 38, who until today had contended his name was Frank Devers, was held here today on charges that would stamp him as one of the most active of underworld characters.

Three postol inspectors met here today with Memphis police and asked for custody of Underwood on charges of bond jumping, prison breaking, mail robbery, bank robbery and jewelry holdup. Indictments against him and warrants for his arrest are held by police of seven cities.

Inspectors W. F. Esch of Chicago; A. A. Anderson of St. Paul, and H. A. Roland of Kansas City, arrived here today and compared notes on Underwood.

He was identified as Tom Underwood, born in Bardstown, Ky., and an orphan since an early age. His underworld connections in Chicago is with "Tony the Wop" Petrelli, Esch said.

While Underwood probably will be formally charged with several other crimes, his extradition will be sought on charges of kidnaping a mail clerk in Hibbing, Minn., and robbing him of three registered letters.

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Specials Friday, Saturday, Monday

LINGONBERRIES, 2 qts. 42c
SALTED PEANUTS, 1 lb. 15c
Candy Bars, Fresh, 3 for 10c
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MIXED NUTS, per lb. 25c
NEW FILBERTS, per lb. 20c
MINCE MEAT, Bulk, lb. 19c
BAKING POWDER 29c
Calumet Rubber Doll FREE
Strawberries, Frozen, box 30c
MACARONI, I.G.A., 3 for 19c
COFFEE, White House, 1 lb. can 49c
SPARE RIBS, lb. 15c
PORK BUTT ROAST 17c
PORK LOIN ROAST 18c
PORK CHOPS, Lean 19c
Fresh Home-made Full Cream Cottage Cheese, per lb. 20c

SOVIET 'GLAND FACTORY' IS IN OPERATION

ENTERPRISE BETTER KNOWN AS THE SUKHUM MONKEY FARM

APES GAMBOL, UNIMPRESSED BY HIGH DESTINY ARRANGED FOR THEM

By EUGENE LYONS
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

Sukhum, Abkhazian, Soviet Republic, Dec. 21.—The first Soviet "gland factory," better known as the Sukhum Monkey Farm, has been started here.

On a hill overlooking the Black Sea, some thirty-five natives of Africa and the South Seas—and two tiny apes born under the red flag in the last few months — gambol in their cages unimpressed by the high scientific destiny to which they are dedicated.

Their imprisonment is only temporary. The entire hillside, rich in tropical trees, is being prepared as a domain where they may rove and multiply at will. Several laboratories have been equipped for the preparation of gland extracts and experimentation on treatment of many diseases.

The farm is part of an extensive endrinjco-logical department under the commissariat of health. It has succeeded, the director claimed, in making the country independent of foreigners in meeting its demands for a variety of serums.

Dr. Y. A. Tobolkin,, who is in charge of the farm and the experimental work connected with it, reflects the general pride. A student of Voronoff, he is completely convinced of the efficacy of rejuvenation and its large place in the medicine of the near future. The monkey farm, he told the United Press correspondent, represents the "fountain of youth" for which mankind has been seeking through the ages.

Sixty years old, Dr. Tobolkin is as spry as any of the tennants on his farm. His vigor, he explained in response to a question, is natural and not the result of rejuvenation.

But when it runs out, Dr. Tobolkin said, he intends to renew it artificially.

"I expect to live beyond a century,' he said, with a smile, but in all seriousness.

Dr. Tobolkin, it will be recalled, won considerable notoriety about a year ago when he disclosed plans for crossing human beings and monkeys in the interest of science. He admitted to the United Press that the plans have not been abandoned.

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DOLLS, We Have a Large Assortment 99c
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JELLO, All Flavors, 3 Packages 19c
FANCY MIXED NUTS Per pound 29c
JOLLY TIME POP CORN, 2 Cans 25c
SWANSDOWN CAKE FLOUR, Per Package 32c
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SWEET GIRL CHOCOLATES Pound Box 45c

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FAT EMMA, MILKY WAY, BABY RUTH, OLD GOLD, CLARK BAR
CHICKEN DINNER
PLAIN HERSHEYS
NUT HERSHEYS
3 for 10c
80c Per Box

PURE RENDERED LARD, 2 lbs. 29c

FLOUR, Na-Te-Co, 49 lb. sack $1.75
SHREDDED WHEAT, 2 packages 23c
CORN, PEAS or TOMATOES, 3 cans 29c
FANCY BRICK CHEESE, per pound 29c
CURRANTS, package 19c

PURE GRANULATED SUGAR, 10 lbs. 57c

BREAD, National Maid, 1½ pound loaf 9c
SALMON, Fancy Pink, 1 pound can 19c
MUFFETS, 3 packages 35c
BULK OATS, 5 pounds 23c
MACARONI, 10 pound box 91c

OUR SPECIAL COFFEE, 3 Lbs. $1.03

CAMPBELL'S PORK AND BEANS, 3 cans 25c
MILK, Hazel Brand, 3 tall cans 27c
DRIED PEACHES, per pound 20c
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SWEET POTATOES, 3 lbs 25c
CRANBERRIES, 2 lbs 47c
OLIVES, quart 47c
DROMEDARY DATES, pkg 19c
Popcorn, white 3 lbs 25c
POPCORN, Black Mexican, 2 lbs. 25c
Oranges 288 size, doz. 29c 216 size, doz. 44c
SOAP, P. & G. 10 bars 39c
SERVE-U-WELL JELLY POWDER, 3 for 21c
CHOCOLATE ½ lb 23c
FANCY COOKIES, 40c value, 2 lbs. 69c
LUSTIG SPECIAL 49c
Powdered Sugar, 2 lbs 19c
A Full Line of Fresh Fruits and Vegetables

Mr. Merchant--

Please send in your copy for your Holiday greetings copy early tomorrow.

Phone 74

DAILY DISPATCH

URGES NEW POLICY IN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

R. L. Geist, Nominee for President of Association, States His Platform

SUGGESTS RADICAL CHANGE

If Elected Would Advocate Abandoning Present Quarters and Hiring Industrial Secretary

The following letter written by R. L. Geist to R. E. Wyett, President of the Brainerd Chamber of Commerce, is given in full so that members may have an understanding of the stand taken by Mr. Geist, who was nominated for the presidency of the association in the recent primary held:

Having noticed an article in the Dispatch to the effect that my name was unopposed for the office of President of the Chamber for the ensuing year, I am taking this means of expressing my sincere regret at the withdrawal of Dr. Beise's name and I hope that some pressure can be brought to bear upon the Doctor to induce him to reconsider his action and allow his nomination to stand. Doctor Beise would make an energetic and successful President.

If this cannot be brought about, I would then suggest that some other good man be interviewed and induced to accept the nomination and his name placed before the membership by the Board of Directors, if that is possible, otherwise a "sticker" campaign could be arranged.

While I do not want this office and doubt my ability to handle it, nevertheless I am not unmindful of the honor paid me by the membership in proposing my name for this high office, but at the same time I want to use whatever avenues there are open to me to let it be known to every member exactly what my attitude is toward the present type of organization. Therefor I trust you will give the following statements as much publicity as possible before the date of election, Dec. 26, and read this letter in open meeting as the first order of business preceeding the balloting. The thought behind this announcement is to be absolutely fair with all those members who are opposed to the ideas expressed herein, warn them of my position and allow them ample opportunity to marshall the opposition, thereby furnishing a true indication of the wishes of the majority. The desire is for continued harmony regardless of what this wish might be.

If by any remote chance, I am elected to serve as the President of the Brainerd Chamber of Commerce, I shall use all the energy at my command, openly and above board, to bring about a re-organization of this body along what I am pleased to term, "business lines." Without going into detail at this time as to my reasons for believing a change is necessary and desirable, allow me to state what this change would involve.

At the direction of a majority of the membership, the present Chamber quarters would be abandoned and all personal property sold, with the exception of a desk, table and a few chairs. The desk, table and chairs would be moved to an office room, which room would be the future Chamber headquarters, presided over by an industrial Secretary. This secretary would be hired and fired by the Board of Directors and would look to the Board, meeting once a month or oftener if necessary, for his guidance. The Board of Directors would be elected annually by the membership and at which annual meeting a report of the preceeding year's activities and accomplishments would be presented to the membership for their approval or criticism. The delegation of authority by the membership to the Board of Directors and Secretary, puts it absolutely up to this later body of men to produce results. No work, except upon special call, would be delegated to committees.

I stand committed to this proposed change in type of organization, believing it to be business-like and eventually beneficial to the community and realizing at the same time that it will be opposed by many men of longer residence here, who are just as anxious to see Brainerd forge ahead in a civic way, I respectfully urge the publicity requested. The decision rests entirely with the membership.

CONSIDER BETTER SHOW CONDITIONS

Brainerd to Receive "Talkies" When New House or Remodelling Completed

HILLER ATTENDS CONVENTION

Theatre is in New Era, Managers Are Taught at F. and R. Meet

W. R. Hiller, manager of local F. and R theatres has returned from Minneapolis where he attended a three day school of instruction of all F. and R., and Publix theatres managers in which the fact was stressed that the theatre is at present in a different world than what it was before "sound" made its appearance in connection with the silversheet.

"We were drilled from every standpoint of reception of 'sound'. The theatre has become an important part in the revolutionizing of the motion picture industry with the addition of 'talkies.' Every manager was informed that the old style of theatre operation was past and that every one must acquaint himself thorcughly with the changes," said Mr. Hiller.

Mr. Hiller was promised that Brainerd would be included with theatres carrying "all speaking movies" although this new feature would not be installed until a new theatre is built or the Park theatre remodelled.

Mr. Hiller stated that officials of F. and R. were considering improved theatre conditions for Brainerd and that they would announce their plans when they have decided upon the procedure.

Synchronized phonographic music may soon be installed at the Lyceum theatre as an added musical feature, Mr. Hiller said.

DAD'S NIGHT

Boy Scout Troop No. 4 Holds Function in Southeast Brainerd

The Boy Scout Troop No. 4, held a "Dad's Night" last evening at the hose house, Southeast Brainerd. About 22 were present.

Games were played during the evening, after which stories were called for. John Holvick, one of "dads" contributed a very interesting story. A luncheon was served by the committee.

This troop is working along with the Harrison Parent Teachers association to make a skating ring for the children in Southeast Brainerd. Work on the rink will commence tomorrow.

ELKS HOSTS TO ALL CHILDREN MONDAY

Theatre Party Arranged at Lyceum Theatre as Elks Christmas Treat

SPECIAL PICTURE PROGRAM

First Show to Start at 10 A. M.; Santa Claus to Pass Out "Goodies"

All children of grade school age are invited to become guests of the Elks Lodge at a Christmas theatre party to be held Monday morning at the Lyceum theatre.

To accomodate all the children expected to attend, there will be two shows, the first to start at 10 a. m. and the second to begin at 11:15 a. m.

Santa Claus will be there to give Christmas sweetmeats, peanuts, candy and apples to all children as they pass out of the theatre.

Those who will be unable to obtain seats for the first show will be taken care of by the Lodge until after the first show when they will be permitted to attend the second.

The party is an annual Christmas custom instituted by the lodge.

The show program includes a Felix comedy, an "Our Gang" comedy and a two reel western thriller, secured by Mr. Hiller.

MRS. C. BOURQUIN RITES TOMORROW

Aged Lady Passed Away Yesterday at Home of her Daughter, Mrs. J. C. Norton

Funeral rites for Mrs. Charlotte Bourquin, aged 73 years, who passed away yesterday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Norton, three miles west of Brainerd, will be conducted tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock from the Whitney chapel. Interment will be at Evergreen cemetery.

Surviving are two sons, Samuel of Gull Lake, Robert of Baxter township, and one daughter, Mrs. Norton, also five grandchildren. Her husband predeceased her.

Methodist Pageant

Those in the pageant given by the Bible school of the First Methodist church will practice this evening at 7 o'clock in the church.

MAPLE GROVE

Anton Hettver motored to Glencoe last week.

Week end visitors in Brainerd were Fred Segler, Jr., Wm. F. Rau, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fortune, Mrs. Chas. Boeder and daughter, Bernice.

Mrs. Edlund visited at her son's home, Norval Mohl Friday and Saturday.

Miss Marguerite Rau spent the week end with Miss Elsie Linn in Brainerd.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rau and family visited at the Harold Rau home Friday evening.

Roy Wiedewitsch is working in Brainerd temporarily.

Francis Hettver and Fred Segler, Sr., were Brainerd callers Tuesday.

Arthur Segler who has been on the sick list is improving.

A town board and telephone meeting was held in the town hall Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bower were Brainerd shoppers Tuesday.

SELL TICKETS FOR COUNTRY CLUB DANCE

Card Party is Also Booked for Christmas Season Event, December 28

Invitations to the Brainerd Country club dance and card party Friday evening December 28 at the Moose hall will be regulated by the sale of tickets, it was announced today.

The rooms will be decorated suitable to the Christmas season with Miss Elizabeth Murphy in charge of decorations.

Frappe and wafers will be served as refreshments.

The card party will be in the smaller room under the direction of Mrs. Robert Duerr with the dance in the Moose hall proper. Both will commence at 9 o'clock.

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PIANO TUNER FOUND DEAD IN HIS BED

Claude W. Hilton's Body Found at His Home in West Brainerd

LIVED ALONE IN HOUSE

Daughter From Kansas City Expected Here Today to Arrange Rites

Funeral arrangements were to be completed today for Claude W. Hilton, age about 58 years, who was found dead in his bed at his home in West Brainerd Wednesday morning from heart failure.

Mr. Hilton who had lived in Brainerd a number of years, working as a piano tuner, occupied a house in West Brainerd alone.

Death of Mr. Hilton was first known by Chester Thabes who came to the house at 8 a .m. to assist him with some work. Unable to awake the occupant, Mr. Thabes investigated. Securing a neighbor, Sam Hawkins, the two gained entrance through the window. Coroner D. E. Whitney was notified, taking charge of the body.

A daughter who resides in Kansas City, Mo., was expected in Brainerd today.

Birthday Party

A number of friends of Gust Swanson, 901 South Sixth, were pleasantly entertained Tuesday evening at a 6 o'clock dinner, the occasion being Mr. Swanson's 74th birthday. Covers were laid for 12.

The evening was spent socially. Mr. Swanson was presented with a number of useful gifts by his many friends.

Nature's Wise Provision.

Though November is proverbially the gloomiest month in the year, it is conspicuously rich in beef, mutton, veal, pork, and house-lamb, as well as in fish, poultry, game and wild fowl. Thus, by an admirable provision in the economy of nature, at the season when the human appetite is increasing in strength, the means of gratifying it are multiplied.—William Hone.

GENERAL CADORNA, ITALIAN ARMY COMMANDER, DIES

Bordighera, Italy, Dec. 21.—(U.P.)—Marshal Count Luigi Cadorna, who commanded the Italian army in the world war for two critical years, died today of a blood clot on the brain. Death came at about 4 p. m. after the count had been in a coma for several days.

S. D. A. Church

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Y. P. meeting Friday at 8 P. M.

Sabbath school (Saturday) at 10:15 A. M. Lesson: "The Lamb of God," Isaiah 52:13-15; 53:1-5.

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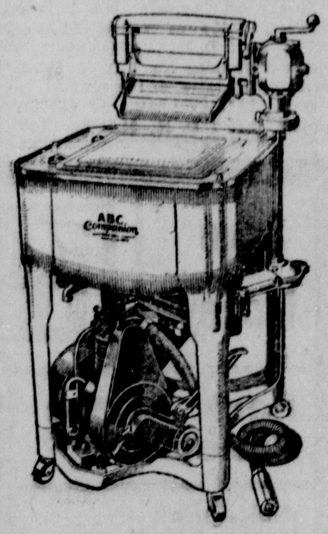
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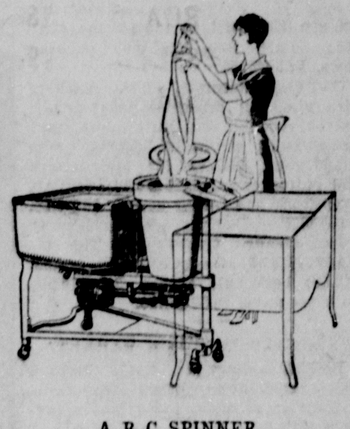
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WHAT HAS HAPPENED SO FAR.

JERRY DUNN, reporter, falls in love with Ann Tremaine, wealthy debutante. He takes her to live at his boarding house, and she is attracted to Steve Harrison, a husky mechanic of whom Jerry is jealous. Ann gets a job in a theatre owned by Nick Pagalos, a Greek. Shortly after, Maizie Thompson, an ex-sweetheart of Steve's, appears on the scene. She accuses Ann of having stolen Steve from her, but Steve denies this, saying he does not love Maizie. A friendship develops between Jerry and Maizie, and one evening the four of them go out together. The party is a complete failure, and Ann is hurt by Jerry's attentions to Maizie. At the same time, when Steve tells her he comes of an Old Virginia family she begins to think of him more seriously. They walk home and she leaves him at her door, realizing she will have to see Jerry that night.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY.

CHAPTER XLV.

ANN'S acute desire to see Jerry Dunn and talk to him so late at night did not conflict with the mode of life she was living. In the rooming house was an informality that amounted to total freedom. If she liked she could go to his room at any hour, or he could call upon her. And tonight desperately she needed his companionship.

But he was not home yet; he was still out with Maizie. Ann slipped downstairs to the floor below, where Mrs. Yager, the proprietress, had her room—a curious, good-natured creature given to wearing wrappers and addicted to late hours. Fortunately, Mrs. Yager was still awake.

"Do you have a pass key that would let me into Mr. Dunn's room?" asked Ann, without any thought of impropriety. "I'm a little nervous and I would like to go in there and sit in his easy chair and read a while until he comes home."

"Of course, dearie, it's perfectly all right. I get that way myself sometimes—all unstrung. And Mr. Dunn thinks the world of you, he does."

The funny thing about it was that once she was in Jerry's quarters she felt, definitely, some lingering essence of his personality that seemed to quiet her and give her restful poise. Even so, she was still unsettled but there was the beginning of restfulness. She turned on his reading lamp and took a book from the shelf—a volume of poetry by Keats. Reading, the clear, cool beauty of his verse seeped through her like delicious moonlight.

Jerry would understand exactly how she was affected. Only people of their types knew how to unlock such doors of feeling and imagination. With Steve poetry would be a mystery . . . forever a mystery. Ann put the book down in her lap and leaned back utterly relaxed in Jerry's deep chair. What a contrast between the two men! Yet, each had his appeal.

Life with Steve Harrison would be a thrilling adventure in the elevation and development of a man.

With Jerry forever she could visualize complete serenity of two minds dwelling together in harmony on the plane of equality.

But neither, probably, would ever be her husband. It was all idle speculation. Yet the pressure of their individualities was so close around her that she couldn't, at present, escape them. She had come out into the world from the security of her own home to find Life. And she had found Men. For a girl, she wondered, didn't Life and Men mean exactly the same thing?

Jerry was mildly astonished to find her in his room.

"Do you mind my intrusion?" she asked.

"The trouble is you don't do it often enough," he proclaimed.

"Don't you? I find I'm not able to get her out of my mind entirely. I see behind all of the cheapness that surrounds her and there's something that stimulates my curiosity. Sometimes I feel there's a sort of cameo beauty about her—even when her terrible English is jarring my ears. I find myself thinking it's a shame she should be shackled to all of the uninspired dullness of a factory and people we saw tonight in that dance hall. There ought to be something finer in life for Maizie."

She thought she detected a shade of indifference in his voice.

"What you reading? Oh, Keats."

Ann put the book aside. "I was only reading to pass the time until you came. Keats was a great poet, but tonight I think I prefer Jerry Dunn. I'm lonesome, Jerry, and I want you to be kind to me—talk to me."

There was a remote expression on his face as though her words had glanced off his mind. He dropped into a chair, stretched himself and then bent forward suddenly.



"I'm lonesome, Jerry, and I want you to be kind to me—talk to me."

"A funny thing has happened to me, Ann," he said with sudden deep interest. "Did you ever meet a personality that seemed to stick to you like a burr? Not a burr, either, exactly—one doesn't like a burr. I mean a personality that embeds itself in your mind and you keep thinking and speculating about that person?"

She wanted to talk about herself and her troubles, but there was no chance. His mind seemed to be filled with someone else. Or, he was deliberately withdrawing away from her desire.

"You mean someone who impressed you as I did that first night we met?"

That, too, he brushed aside. "I'm talking about Maizie Thompson," he said. "It's amazing what a penetrating little being she is. She's so baffling, so far away from me, that I've a yen to learn more about her. Does she seem drab and dull to you?"

"I don't think much about Maizie," Ann said helplessly.

His eyes were looking through Ann and beyond. She smiled at him wanly but he did not recognize it.

"You're fickle, Jerry," she said. "You used to feel that way about me."

"Something ought to be done for Maizie," he declared, ignoring her.

"I wish somebody would do something about me," Ann's voice was moody.

"You're able to take care of yourself—I don't worry about you," Jerry went on. "It's funny that Maizie should affect you so. Ordinarily I pay no attention to girls. I met you and we got to be friends but I don't think anyone could say I have the habit of interesting any women. It annoys me—I want to think about my work and my writing and—I find myself thinking about Maizie."

Would he never stop talking about the girl! Ann felt if he did not stop she could scream. . . .

What had become of the old Jerry Dunn she used to know?

Suddenly, she found that her eyes were swimming and warm tears were wetting her checks.

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CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

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CATTLE — Receipts, 2,000. Calves, receipts, 1,000. Market fairly active on finished steer trade; stockers and feeders slow; fed steers and yearlings closing week about in line with last. Slaughter classes: Steers, good and choice, 1300-1500 lbs, $12.75@16.25; 1100-1300 lbs, $12.75@16.25; 950-1100 lbs, $12.50@16.75; common and medium, 850 lbs up, $8.75@12.50. Fed yearlings, good and choice, 750-950 lbs, $12@16.25. Heifers, good and choice, 850 lbs down, $10.50@13.25; common and medium, $7.50@10.50. Cows, good and choice, $8@10.50; common and medium, $6.60@8; low cutter and cutter, $5.50@6.60. Bulls, good and choice (beef), $9.25@11.25; cutter to medium, $7@9.25. Vealers (milk fed), good and choice, $13@15; medium, $11.50@13; cull and common, $7.50@11.50. Stocker and feeder steers, good and choice (all weights), $10.50@12; common and medium, $8.25@10.50.

SHEEP—Receipts, 10,000. Few early sales steady; fat lambs held higher; bulk sorted fat lambs $14.25; choice sorted fat lambs held upward to $14.75; feeding lambs and sheep slow. Lambs, good and choice (92 lbs down), $13.85@14.85; medium, $12.25@13.85; cull and common, $8.75@12.25. Ewes, medium to choice (150 lbs down), $5.50@8; cull and common, $2.25@6. Feeder lambs, good and choice, $13@14.25.

SOUTH ST. PAUL LIVESTOCK

South St. Paul, Dec. 21.—(By Department of Agriculture)—HOGS—Receipts, 9,000. Market steady to weak with Thursday's average. 250-350 lbs, $7.90@8.10; 200-250 lbs, $7.90@8.10; 160-200 lbs, $8@8.10; 130-160 lbs, $7.75@8; 90-130 lbs, $7.75@8; packing sows, $7.50@785.

CATTLE—Receipts, 1,000. Market: Steady on all lines; vealers steady. Calves, receipts, 800. Bulk quotations: Grass stock steers, $9.50@11; grass stock cows, $6.75@7.75; low cutters and cutter cows, $5.25@6.50; vealers, $13; stock and feeder steers, $8@9.25.

SHEEP — Receipts, 500. Market: About steady. Quotations: Top fat lambs, $13.75 asked; bulk fat lambs, $13.50; bulk cull lambs, $10@10.50; bulk fat ewes, $6.50@7.50.

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CHEESE—Twins, 23½@24c; Young Americas, 24¾@25c.

LIVE POULTRY—Receipts, 3 cars. Fowls, 18@26c. Springs, 18@29c. Ducks, heavy, 17@24c. Geese, 22½c. Turkeys, 20@36c. Roosters, 20c.

POTATOES—Market dull; arrivals 65 cars; on track 226; in transit 398. Wisconsin sacked Round Whites, 80c@$1. North Dakota and Minnesota sacked Round Whites, 80@90c; sacked Red River Ohios, 95c@$1. Idaho sacked Russets, $1.40@1.65.

ST. PAUL PRODUCE MARKET

BUTTER—Packing stock, 30@32c; butterfat, 56@57c; firsts, 48c; extras, 50c.

EGGS—No. 1, 35c; seconds, 25c.

LIVE POULTRY—Hens, 20@21c.

MINNEAPOLIS CLOSING CASH PRICES

14 per cent protein: No. 1 D. N., $1.26¼@1.31¼; to arrive, $1.24¼@1.27¼. No. 2 D. N., $1.24¼@1.29¼. 13 per cent protein: No. 1 D. N., $1.18¼@1.22¼; to arrive, $1.16¼@1.20¼. No. 2 D. N., $1.15¼@1.20¼. 12 per cent protein: No. 1 D. N., $1.11¼@1.13¼; to arrive, $1.11¼@1.12¼. No. 2 D. N., $1.09¼@1.12¼. Grade of: No. 1 D. N., $1.10¼@1.11¼; to arrive, $1.10¼. No. 2 D. N., $1.08¼@1.10¼. Grade of: No. 1 North, $1.10¼@1.11¼; to arrive, $1.10¼. No. 2 North, $1.07¼@1.10¼.

CORN—No. 3 Yellow, 78@79c; to arrive, 77c. No. 4 Yellow, 75½@76½c. No. 5 Yellow, 72@74½c. No. 3 Mixed, 74@75c. No. 4 Mixed, 73@74c. No. 5 Mixed, 71@72c.

OATS—No. 2 White, 45⅝@47⅝c. No. 3 White, 42⅝@43⅝c; to arrive, 42⅝c. No. 4 White, 39⅝@42⅝c.

BARLEY—Choice to fancy, 65@67c; medium to good, 56@64c; lower grades, 50@55c.

RYE—No. 2, 99c@$1.06; to arrive, 99c.

FLAXSEED—No. 1, $2.32@2.40; to arrive, $2.32@2.40.

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PRES. COOLIDGE SIGNS BOULDER DAM BILL

WITH THIS ACT FAMOUS MEASURE BECOMES A LAW

CARRIES $165,000,000 FOR CONSTRUCTION OF GIANT DAM

TO BE BUILT ON COLORADO TO WATER VALLEYS OF FAR SOUTHWEST

Washington, Dec. 21. — (UP) — President Coolidge signed the Boulder Dam bill at 10:20 A. M. today.

With this act the famous measure, carrying $165,000,000, became a law. Under it, there will be construction of a giant dam on the Colorado to water the valleys of the far southwest, control floods and create power.

The bill provides for construction of a 550-foot dam at either Black or Boulder canyon on the Colorado river as an irrigation, flood control and hydro-electric project.

Signature of the bill by President Coolidge ends a fight which has proceeded in congress for eight years.

Arizona has been the principal opponent of the legislation, claiming that California would receive more than a fair share of the benefits at the expense of states further up the river.

By terms of the bill, the secretary of interior is given authority to proceed with construction of the dam as soon as he obtains contracts for sale of water and hydro-electric power rights sufficient to assure amortization in fifty years and as soon after a period of six months as six interested states ratify the Colorado river compact.

This compact provides for distribution of water among the seven states which adjoin the river.

The financial plan upon which the bill is based is that sale of water for irrigation and domestic use and of hydro-electric water power or of water power rights will pay the entire cost of the project.

The authorized cost is $165,000,000, including the dam, hydro-electric plant and all-American canal, which will carry water into California.

The secretary of interior is given the option of building the hydro-electric plant himself and selling power at the switchboard; building the plant and leasing it by units; or leasing the power rights leaving it to the private company, a state or a municipality to build and operate the plant.

This bill authorizes expenditure of $165,000,000 and requires that special appropriation bills be passed for the actual outlay of funds.

The president signed the measure with an ornate desk pen brought to the White House by Representative Swing, republican, California, who with Senator Johnson, republican, California, wrote the bill.

Elwood Meade, director of the bureau of reclamation, W. B. Mathews, attorney for the bureau of power and light of Los Angeles, and Representative Smith, republican, Idaho, also attended the ceremony in the president's private office.

Immediately after signing the measure, the president with the delegation posed for photographers on the south lawn of the White House where the president was congratulated for making the measure a law.

The desk pen along with one of the president's own desk pens, also used during the ceremonies, was presented the authors of the bill.

The Boulder Dam bill as signed, conforms in all essential features to the recommendations of the interior department, Commissioner E. B. Meade said today. The reservoir capacity, site, provision for a power plant and provisions protecting the rights of the upper states were all included in the interior department's reports, he stated.

ART GOEBEL IS OPERATED ON FOR APPENDICITIS

Wichita, Kan., Dec. 21.—(U.P.)—Art Goebel, Pacific flier, operated on here for acute appendicitis Wednesday, today contracted pneumonia in his right lung and is in a serious condition, according to his physician.

While in Chicago at the aeronautical exposition, Goebel suffered an attack of influenza which weakened his condition. While his condition is far from satisfactory, his physician declares there is no immediate danger, but the famous airman is being given the closest of attention.

GERMAN REPORTS ON TROUBLES IN AFGHANISTAN

Berlin, Dec. 21.—(U.P.)—A telegram to the foreign office from the German legation at Kabul, Afganistan, said today that the leader of the Afghanistan rebels had been wounded. His name was reported to be Batcha Saqua.

The Germany legation expressed hope that the conflict soon would end. The government still was negotiating with the rebels, the message said, adding, however, that the situation continued to be serious.

The message confirmed news that fighting had occurred near the British legation, which still was in the path of stray bullets.

A United Press dispatch from Allahabad, India, yesterday said that King Amanullah of Afghanistan recently had placed a price of 20,000 rupees on the head of Batcha Sacqua, rebel leader, and that the latter retaliated by placing a larger price on the head of the king.

BLACK HAND THREATS HANG OVER TRIAL

JUDGE, STAR WITNESSES OF STATE, PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS THREATENED

RANIERI KIDNAPING TRIAL HAS SINISTER ANGLE

Chicago, Dec. 21. — (UP)—The black hand threat of impending death hung over the Ranieri kidnaping trial today.

The judge, star witnesses of the state, prosecuting attorneys and police officials all have been warned that death will result if they go ahead with the trial of three Italians, charged with kidnaping Billy Ranieri and demanding $60,000 ransom.

Judge Robert Gentzel, presiding at the trial, received a crudely printed note through the mail telling him, "you are too late. You are to die. Quit our case."

A. Frank Ranieri, father of Billy, was warned today that his home would be bombed Saturday night unless the prosecution is stopped. This latest warning, one of many that Ranieri has received since the trial started, was mailed to the Ranieri home and telephoned to Ranieri, who is staying at a loop hotel, guarded by several policemen.

Ten important witnesses for the state have fled the city or are in hiding because they heard threatening whispers that bombs would be tossed into their homes or their children kidnaped if they aided prosecuting Angelo Petitti, accused as the head of an extortion ring and on trial for the kidnaping of Billy.

Two assistant state's attorneys have sent their wives and families out of Chicago until the trial is over. They have taken rooms in downtown hotels with police guards always on duty. Both were warned that to prosecute the three Italians would mean death.

Mike Devito, a state witness who yesterday said "everybody knew Petitti was the head of a black hand extortion ring," is scheduled along with Judge Gentzel as the next to die. He received a death threat saying he was to be killed.

Despite the threat, Devito testified that Petitti had blackmailed him out of $300 on threat of bombing his home and abducting his children. Devito said he paid without protest because "he knew the bombings and kidnapings would take place if he did not."

Police guards about the Ranieri home and in the courtroom have been doubled following the latest threats. All persons entering the courtroom are searched for weapons.

NEW STYLE OF XMAS SHOPPER, USES A BRICK

Minneapolis, Dec. 21.—(U.P.)—An unidentified woman stepped from her autmobile here Thursday, shattered the window of the State Jewelry store with a brick, selected $850 worth of rings and wrist watches from a Christmas display and drove away.

Winter Solstice Has Temperature Drop Punch

Christmas Armistice Prevails in Congress Today, Treaty and Navy Bill Men Are at Outs

GLARE AT EACH OTHER ACROSS AISLES OF SENATE

READY TO RESUME DIFFERENCES WHEN SESSION RESUMES JANUARY 3

ODDS AND ENDS IN LEGISLATIVE MATTERS NOW BEING CLEANED UP

By PAUL R. MALLON

Washington, Dec. 21.—A Christmas armistice prevailed in congress today. But adherents of the anti-war treaty and proponents of the naval cruiser bill were glaring across the senate aisles ready to resume their fight over precedence on the measures as they come up again on January 3.

Odds and ends of the legislative calendar of both houses are being cleaned up in the meantime, preparatory to adjourning for the Christmas recess tomorrow. Many senators and representatives are departing for their homes leaving only the leaders on guard to care for the less important matters.

The bitter contest for precedence between the treaty and the navy bill was postponed over the holidays by the unanimous consent agreement made in the senate late yesterday. It provided both should be considered the unfinished business when the senate reconvenes, the treaty in open executive session and the bill in the regular session.

When the senate reconvenes, Chairman Borah of the foreign relations committee will seek to force consideration of the treaty by sidetracking of the navy bill for that purpose. The navy bill leaders intend to fight for preservation of their measure in the prior position, contending it is the first of the two measures mentioned in the agreement.

No one was entirely satisfied by the agreement but it was adopted merely to prevent continuance of a filibuster against the naval bill, so the senate could transact other business.

Senate leaders hoped to spend the remaining time before adjournment on some 800 bills which would have accumulated on the calendar during the two weeks of the session. The house had its calendar fairly well cleaned up and leaders there planned only to meet and adjourn today and tomorrow with only little legislative action.

CONGRESS TODAY

Senate

Takes up calendar bills.

Interstate commerce committee continues hearings on three nominations to the interstate commerce commission.

Military affairs committee considers calendar bills.

House

Meets to take up routine business.

Foreign affairs committee considers calendar simplification resolution.

UTAH NEARS THE BRAZIL CAPITAL, RIO DE JANEIRO

HOOVER SHIP WILL DROP ANCHOR IN HARBOR AT 2 P. M. TODAY

EXTENSIVE ENTERTAINMENT IS PLANNED BY BRAZILIAN OFFICIALS

By THOMAS L. STOKES

Aboard the U. S. S. Utah, Dec. 21. —The Utah, carrying President-elect Herbert Hoover homeward on his South American tour, today was just outside the outer harbor limits of Rio De Janeiro — the last city which the president-elect will visit on his trip before returning to Florida. The ship will drop anchor in the picturesque harbor at 2 P. M.

Two Brazilian cruisers, the Bahia and the Rio Grande Do Sul, stood by off the coast during the night awaiting the Utah to escort her into the harbor. The Utah steamed at 16 knots an hour throughout the night in clear, warm weather and a salm sea.

All of the members of the party retired early last night in anticipation of the extensive entertainment program which has been prepared by the Brazilian government in honor of the visiting American stateman.

Mr. Hoover will be officially welcomed at the docks by President Washington Luis of Brazil, Vice-President Mello Vianni, officials of the senate and chamber of deputies and other governmental authorities.

Later Mr. Hoover will hold a reception at Guanabara palace, which the government has set aside for his use during the stay in Brazil.

A special session of the national congress will be held Saturday. Mr. Hoover will address the meeting.

On Sunday, Mr. Hoover will make a tour of the city and the surrounding district. He will also confer with President Washington Luis.

DEVERS TO BE RETURNED TO MINNESOTA

ALLEGED GANGSTER AND PRISON BREAKER TO FACE TRIAL

CHARGES OF MAIL ROBBERY ARE BROUGHT AGAINST HIM

St. Paul, Dec. 21.—(UP)—Out of the score or more crimes laid at the door of Tom Underwood, gangster, gunman and prison breaker, known in the northwest as Frank "Bubbling Over" Devers, it appeared today that he would be returned from Memphis to stand trial in Minnesota on a charge of mail robbery.

The possibility of Devers' escape through legal channels was blocked at Memphis Thursday when his bonds were placed at $150,000 and a Mann act charge was placed against him.

Miss Johanna Bruce, 23, St. Paul waitress and soda clerk, who posed as Devers' wife and was arrested with him, was placed under $10,000 bond.

The first claim on Devers, it was understood, will be made by the federal government in connection with the kidnaping and robbery of a mail clerk and several pouches of registered mail at Hibbing two years ago. Devers is already under indictment on the mail robbery charge.

He is also wanted for numerous other crimes, principal of which are: prison breaks in Texas and Utah; jail break at Iowa City; suspect in the killing of two women in Chicago, and a suspect in the $20,000 payroll robbery, South St. Paul; $88,000 diamond robbery, Minneapolis; $30,000 Milbank, S. D., robbery, and $9,000 robbery of the Penn Avenue State Bank, Minneapolis.

It is understood that Devers will be returned to Minnesota early next week by Postal Inspector A. A. Anderson.

One of the interesting sidelights in the Devers story is that he was reported to have lived in and about the Twin Cities until two or three weeks ago. Several residents of St. Paul said that they had often seen a man of his description at the apartment of the Bruce girl and that he and Gus Nichols, Kansas City bootlegger, later arrested at Rochester and tried at Minneapolis for the $88,000 diamond robbery, lived in a cottage at a nearby lake.

John "Joe" Courtney, also since

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ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE CELEBRATES VICTORY



Here are (left to right) Superintendents Parker Shields of Missouri, A. C. Graham of Kentucky and D. L. McBride of Minnesota discussing new dry crusade at three-day "victory celebration" of Anti-Saloon League in Chicago.

BERLIN POLICE HAVE CLUES TO SHIP ROBBERY

Berlin, Dec. 21. — (U.P.) — Berlin police announced clues today which may lead to solution of the $500,000 mail robbery aboard the United States liner Leviathan last June.

An international detective mystery was revealed, involving a stoker aboard the Leviathan and a go-between on the continent who was to dispose of the stolen securities.

Berlin, Dec. 21.—(U.P.)—A revengeful woman, abandoned by her lover, has told police a story that they believed today would lead to solution of the $500,000 mail robbery aboard the U. S. liner Leviathan last June.

It revealed an amazing plot whereby a gang boarded the Leviathan as members of her crew, and rifled the mail sacks while she was at sea.

KING GEORGE HAS A MOST RESTFUL NIGHT

NO APPRECIABLE CHANGE NOTED IN MONARCH'S CONDITION

RAY-THERAPY TREATMENTS BEING CONTINUED BY PHYSICIANS

London, Dec. 21.—(UP)—A bulletin issued by King George's physicians shortly before noon today said: "The king had a restful night. There is no appreciable change to be noted."

The bulletin was timed 11:30 A. M.

No bulletin was issued at the palace last night, since the physicians felt the statement issued in the afternoon covered conditions sufficiently.

Continued progress for several more days, although it might even be as slow as that which the king has made during the past five days, will result in an absolute confidence on the part of the palace physicians that the king will ultimately recover, it was said.

Ray-therapy (ultra-violet ray) treatments are being continued by the physicians. The treatments have successfully controlled the poison in the lungs by strengthening the tissues and permitting other active treatment.

The king slept better during the night than he has for some time. Everything was quiet in his sickroom.

The medical expert of the Daily Express in commenting on the omission of the usual evening bulletin last night, said today:

"There could be no more satisfactory indication of the king's progress."

Southampton, England, Dec. 21.—Prince George, youngest son of the king, landed at 2:30 P. M. today from the Cunard liner Berengaria, en route from his station in Bermuda to the bedside of his father.

CLOWN IS MADE UNHAPPY BY WIFE

Chicago, Dec. 21.—(U.P.)—James Murphy used to be billed by Ringling Brothers' circus as "Happy Jim, the man who makes millions laugh," but he couldn't play the role of Pagliacci.

When happy, Murphy swung a slapstick with such vim that his audience of children screamed with delight. Unhappy, he was a failure.

He was made unhappy, he said in a divorce petition, by his wife and in consequence lost his job with the circus.

They separated in November, he said, but she continued to nag him and makes it a point to meet him often. He can't be happy, he said, while she has the slightest excuse to communicate with him.

LICENSE DAY FOR AMLIN, OHIO, YOUTH

Columbut, Ohio, Dec. 21.—(U.P.)—Today was "license day" for Laurence Shriver, 25, of Amlin. Shriver appeared at the courthouse and obtained a dog license, an automobile license and a license to marry Hazel Spindler, 21.

OFFICIAL START OF WINTER IS SHORTEST DAY

DAY AT CHICAGO IS ONLY NINE HOURS, 7 MINUTES IN LENGTH

THE PAS, MANITOBA, RECORDED 30 BELOW ON SPIRIT THERMOMETER

Chicago, Dec. 21.—(UP)—Winter came to Chicago and the middle west today, both by the calendar and by the thermometer.

Today is the winter solstice and the official beginning of winter and in keeping with the date the mercury slid down to 5 above here with sub-zero temperatures recorded in North Dakota, Minnesota and western Canada.

Winnipeg reported 10 below today and the Pas, Man., recorded as low as 30 below on spirit thermometers.

Astronomically, winter begins here at 8:04 A. M., although sunrise was scheduled at 7:15 and was to set at 4:22, the shortest day of the year measuring only 9 hours and 7 minutes.

Chicago, Dec. 21.—Seven deaths today were attributed to low temperatures and blizzards in the midwest.

Near Nunica, Mich., Norman Campbell, Stephen Leighton and Ralph Doolittle, Albion college students, perished when their automobile left the road in a snow storm and turned over in a ditch. They were on their way home for Christmas vacation.

Minnesota reported two deaths. Nicholas Hayes, St. Paul, dropped dead from cold and exhaustion while shoveling snow, and Mrs. James Dickinson, St. Cloud, was run down by an automobile while groping her way across the street through a driving snowstorm.

In Chicago Miss Mary Klingenberg set her house afire while trying to keep out the cold and was smothered to death in her bed room before firemen could rescue her.

Leo J. McGinn, flying the air mail route between Cleveland and Chicago, was killed when a blizzard struck down his airplane while he was flying over the village of Huron, Ohio.

From throughout the midwest came reports of zero or sub-zero temperatures. In Chicago the moist end of your cigarette froze between puffs in the bitter cold wind that blew in off Lake Michigan.

Snow and forecasts of snow before Christmas were reported from Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota, Indiana, Michigan and Ohio.

Health authorities who had been battling with an influenza epidemic during the moderately farm and humid days of early December, said the sudden cold snap had prevented the malady from spreading.

According to astronomical reckonings today was the shortest day of the year and the first day of winter.

St. Paul, Dec. 21.—Winter bowed its way into the northwest today on ice-laden winds which pounded down the mercury to the lowest point in the present season.

At Brainerd the government thermometer registered 21 degrees below zero last night and at 8 A. M. today had crept up only two degrees to 19 below zero.

In the Twin Cities, gayly decked with evergreens and Christmas trimmings, the temperature hovered around eight degrees below zero.

Moorhead reported 15 below zero at 6:30 A. M. and at Little Falls it was slightly warmer than the 17 below recorded during the night.

HOOVER TO VISIT PENNEY MANSION IN SOUTHLAND

Washington, Dec. 21.—(U.P.)—The palatial mansion of J. C. Penney, chain store magnate, located on Belle Island, Fla., has been accepted as the home of President-elect Hoover during his stay in the south upon his return from his good will tour to South America, republican national headquarters said today.

PERSONAL, CLUB and LOCAL NEWS

Telephone 74

The Dispatch will publish no paper on Christmas Day and New Year's Day, which are both legal holidays.

Contributors are asked to bring Christmas programs to Dispatch early Saturday for publication that day.

Miles Sweeney of St. Paul is in the city today on business.

Fred Branting arrived home yesterday from a trip to Chicago.

Reis for Dry Goods. 164tf-f

J. P. Anderson is leaving this evening on a business trip to Duluth.

Old Santa will be at the Quality Bake Shop on Saturday at 10 o'clock A. M. to wish the Little Folks a Merry Christmas and present them with a treat. 1t

A. R. Smith of Pequot was a business visitor in Brainerd yesterday.

Radio Service, Electric Garage. 170tf

Gust Boberg of Gull Lake called in Brainerd yesterday on business.

Free with every purchase of $5 or more, silver plated bridge set. Lundborg's, 614 Laurel. 1t

C. W. Marshall of Pequot called in the city this afternoon on business.

Ernest Ritari of Squaw Point was a business visitor this afternoon in the city.

Mrs. R. E. Bennett of Crosby was a Christmas shopper in Brainerd yesterday.

Our stock is especially selected with a view of assisting you in finding suitable gifts of jewelry and silverware. S. Vanek, Jeweler. 1t

Louis Schellin of Pine Center was a business visitor in the city this afternoon.

ELKS DANCE TONIGHT
Tickets 50c. Everybody welcome. 1t

Harry Pfiffner of Little Pine Resort called in the city on business yesterday.

Genuine Ford 13 plate battery—$8.50 at Tyrholm's. 169t3

J. H. Krekelberg left today on a business trip to Hackensack and Longville.

Battery Service, Electric Garage. 170tf

Mrs. J. E. Hillestad of Crystal Bay was a shopper in Barinerd yesterday afternoon.

Dance Tomorrow Night at Little Pine Pavilion 1t

Mrs. D. M. Peterson of Cokato was among Christmas shoppers in the city yesterday.

Beautiful dresser sets, the ideal gift for the young lady, $10 to $35. Lundborg's, 614 Laurel. 1t

Mrs. F. O. Young of Crow Wing spent yesterday in Brainerd doing Christmas shopping.

Mrs. Charles Palmer of Motley spent yesterday in the city doing Christmas shopping.

Pastel pictures for gifts. See them in our windows. Gorham's. 168t3

C. R. Funk of the Durant Motor Company, Minneapolis, is in Brainerd on business today.

Louis Magnuson and son, Edwin, of Platte Lake, were in the city on business this afternoon.

Mrs. Maud Persson and family of Dykeman were Christmas shoppers in the city this afternoon.

Mrs. Mae Cannon of the J. C. Pen-

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The Weather

Minnesota — Mostly fair tonight and Saturday; not so cold.

Dec. 21.—Maximum 3 above at noon, minimum 21 below. Southeast wind. Cloudy.

BULLETIN BOARD

TONIGHT

Yeomen—Iron Exchange hall.
Mooseheart Women—Moose hall.
Rushworth Encampment—I. O. O. F. hall.
Scandinavian-American Fraternity—Iron Exchange.
Discussion class—Y. M. C. A.
Study class—Y. M. C. A.
Christmas party — First Baptist church.

ney Company, will spend Christmas at St. Cloud with relatives.

Joseph Gustafson arrived today from Chicago where he spent a couple of weeks with relatives.

Special for this week. Gold Seal Congoleum rug, 9x12, $10.95. Louis Hostager. 168t2

Attorney and Mrs. Per M. Larson, of Brainerd, will spend the Christmas holiday in Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ramsey of Slyvan were Christmas shoppers in the city yesterday afternoon.

Turkey and goose shoot, 2 mile store, junction 2 and 19, Sunday, from 9 to 5. 170t2p

Mrs. A. Schilb who has been very ill with the flu the past week is reported on the road to recovery.

R. J. Hart of Moose Lake arrived in the city last evening on business in connection with the new school.

Henry Burns left on the noon train today for Seattle, Wash., where he will spend a few weeks with friends.

Mrs. Oscar Carlson and two daughters of Crosby were Christmas shoppers in the city yesterday afternoon.

North Star crank case oil heater, for sale by Lake Region Motor Co. 169t3

Mrs. S. Ackerson of Pillager was among out of town Christmas shoppers in the city yesterday afternoon.

Gentlemen's strap watches in Bulovas, Hamilton, Elgin, Illinois, Hampden, Waltham, and others. Lundborg's, 614 Laurel. 1t

Scout Executive S. C. Bakken left for Staples this afternoon, where he expects to complete the training course.

It is not too late to place a subscription for their favorite magazine. We have pretty gift cards to send them. Service News Agency. 166t6

Mrs. David L. Frayer returned from St. Cloud last evening where she spent a couple days with her daughter.

Does your car start hard? Change to Shell. 169t3

Mr. and Mrs. George McCullough of Pillager were business visitors and Christmas shoppers in the city yesterday.

Miss Ellen Wood of Minneapolis has accepted a position at the Hebert Beauty Parlor, to succeed Miss Ruth Monasmith.

Albert Johnson of the Pure Milk Company, who has been very ill with the flu, is reported to be getting along nicely.

Miss Sue Schow is leaving this evening for her home in Minneapolis. She will spend her two weeks' vacation there.

Miss Margaret Anderson and her mother, Mrs. Andrew Anderson returned last evening from a couple days visit in the Twin Cities.

Ladies wrist watches, Elgin, Bulova, Illinois, Hampden, Waltham, and other good makes as low $8.50 to $75.00. Lundborg's, Jewelry. 1t

Miss Minnie Otterstad of the highway department left for Bemidji this noon to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otterstad.

Adolph Tryea, who is attending St. John's college, spent a few hours in the city yesterday en route to his home at Perham, for the holidays.

Miss Leila Hall of Mankato is expected to arrive in the city tomorrow evening. She will spend the Christmas holidays with friends here.

Most beautiful pastel pictures ever shown in Brainerd on display at Gorham's Studio. 168t3

William Cleary is expected this evening from Notre Dame university, South Bend, Ind., to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cleary.

Miss Melita Gansky will leave this evening for her home at Cross Lake to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Gansky.

Model Meat Market
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SATURDAY SPECIALS

Pot Roast, lb.	20c
Chuck Roast, lb.	23c
Rolled Rump Roast, no bones, lb.	30c
This beef is very cheap for its quality	
Spring Lamb Legs, lb.	30c
Pork Shoulder Ribs, 3 lbs. for	20c
Pork Shoulder Roast, lb.	13c
Pork Butt Roast, lb.	16c
Pork Loin Roast, lb.	18c
Home Cured Hams, whole or half, lb.	23c

Mrs. Elizabeth Puetz left this morning for St. Paul. She expects to spend the remainder of the winter there with her daughter, Mrs. W. F. Dunstan.

TONIGHT is your last chance to see "Uncle Tom's Cabin," at the Lyceum. 1t

Miss Irene Quinn, teacher at Carleton college at Northfield, is spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Quinn, 611 Holly street.

Large assortment of attractive designs, moderately priced, ladies' and men's wrist watches. Come in and look them over. S. Vanek, Jeweler. 1t

Miss Gladys Trommald arrived today from Minneapolis and will spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Trommald, 502 North Seventh street.

Now, Change to Shell, costs no more than ordinary gasoline. 169t3

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jones of Billings, Mont., are expected on Monday and will spend the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Jones, 417 North Fourth street.

Miss Marion Linnemann, a student at the University of Minnesota, is expected home today to spend the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Emily Linnemann, 413 North Fourth street.

William Backen, who is attending the University of Minnesota, is spending the Christmas holidays with this parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Backen, 506 South Tenth Street.

Miss Gladys Babcock is expected home from the University of Minnesota Saturday to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Babcock, 817 South Tenth Street.

Walter Cleary, who is attending Mount St. Mary's at Emmetsburg, Md., arrived last evening to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cleary, 511 North Fifth street.

Miss Margaret Springer arrived from St. Cloud this afternoon where she is attending the State Teachers' college, to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Springer.

By making this a gift subscription Christmas, you save money, yet slighting no one. Service News Agency, phone 263-W. 166t6

Miss Gertrude Gartner, who arrived home a few days ago from Grand Forks, N. D., where her school was closed on account of the flu, is now suffering with a siege of the same illness.

Miss Margaret Dillan who is attending St. Olaf's at Northfield, arrived in the city last evening, and will spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Dillan.

William Olson and son Ernest of Superior, Wis., are expected in the city tomorrow to spend the holidays with Mr. Olson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Olson, 823 Eleventh avenue northeast.

Miss Jeannette Jackson is expected home Saturday from the Stout Institute at Menominee, Wis., to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Jackson, 704 North Seventh Street.

Xmas Tire Special—30x3½ Airway Cord, $3.95; 29x4.40 Airway Cord, $4.95. Tyrholm's. 169t3

Miss Dorothy Kleven, who is attending the State Teachers' college at St. Cloud, arrived in the city this noon to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Kleven, 415 North Broadway.

Miss Margaret Jackson who is attending the University of Minnesita, is expected home Saturday to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Jackson, 704 North Seventh street.

Brainerd Club No. 3 E. M. B. A. requests attendance of all members and their families at Christmas Tree party and program for the kiddies. Saturday evening, December 22, Moose hall, 7:30 o'clock. Santa will be there. J. E. Fourre, Secretary-Treasurer. 170t2

Mrs. M. J. Jett and son, Arthur, of Jamestown, N. D., left today for Bemidji to visit relatives. They spent the last couple of days at the home of Mrs. Jett's sister, Mrs. C. M. Olson, 416 South Fifth Street.

Visit our display of new and beautiful holiday goods. S. Vanek Jeweler. 1t

Miss Bernice Samuelson, who is attending the Gustavus Adolphus college at St. Peter, is expected home this evening to spend the holidays with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. August Samuelson, 717 Norwood.

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Miss Katherine Cleary arrived in the city last evening and will spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cleary, 511 North Fifth street. Miss Cleary is attending St. Mary's college, Notre Dame, Ind.

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Miss Elsie Swanson, who is attending the Gustavus Adolphus college at St. Peter, is expected home this evening to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Swanson, 218 North Ninth Street.

Our stock includes innumerable attractions perfectly adapted to meet the requirements of all in search of gifts. S. Vanek, Jeweler. 1t

Mrs. Albert Johnson accompanied her mother, Mrs. Erickson, to St. Cloud on the bus this morning. From St. Cloud Mrs. Erickson will leave for Granite Falls to spend the holidays with her daughter. Mrs. Johnson is expected home this evening.

The Fountain Inn carries the largest assortment of Standard and Home Made Xmas Candies in central Minnesota. Also Health Fruit, cigars and tobaccos. Visit us before you buy. When shopping lunch with us. We serve a special noon day luncheon, only 35c. 168t5

John Beck of the J. C. Penney Co. and Henry Erickson of the Red Owl Market will leave Saturday night for Minneapolis. From there Mr. Beck will go to Des Moines, Ia., to spend Christmas with his parents. Mr. Erickson will spend Christmas in Minneapolis with his sister, Mrs. E. B. Delaney.

Reproduction of original Willard Banjo Clock, Seth Thomas or New Haven, $18.50 to $25.00. Makes a beautiful gift. Lundborg's Jewelry. 1t

Hold Christmas Party

Twenty five employees of the Brainerd Exchange of the Northwestern Bell Telephone Company attended a Christmas party last evening in the offices of the company in the Walverman block. Refreshments were served after games were played.



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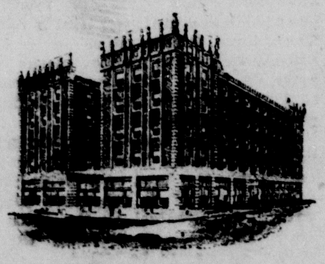
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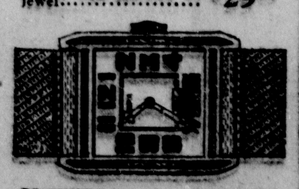


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ST. FRANCIS SCHOOL YULETIDE PROGRAM

Students Speak "Pieces"; Playlets, Duets, Dialogues Presented in Clever Manner

The joyous Christmas season was emphasized in song, words, and music, at the program by the St. Francis school children yesterday.

The program given follows:

Chorus, "Christmas at Sea"—By boys of grades 5, 6, 7 and 8.

Acrostic, "Christmas" — Boys of room 1.

Playlet, Bethlehem's Star — Girls of room 1.

Vocal duet, "All He Wants"—Ernest and Clemence Hadersbeck.

Song, "Fairy Snow Flakes"—Intermediate grade girls.

Piano solo—Helen Egan.

Reading, "A Christmas Story"—Genevieve Peters.

Dialouge, "What is Your Way?"—Leland Eggerling and Delbert Meyers.

Chorus, "The Holly"—Girls of grades 7 and 8.

Recitation, "A Forecast" — Mary Ann Heath.

Reading, "Counting the Eggs"—Rosemary McKena.

Duet, "Silent Night" — Gertrude Remmels and Lois Wolford.

Recitation, "Christmas at Grandmas"—Gertrude Meyers.

Piano solo—Margaret Falkenreck.

Recitation, "The Radio" — Andre L. Hurley.

Song, "If Your Are Good"—Girls of room 6.

Recitation, "Santa and the Mouse"—Thomas LeNeau.

Pantomine chorus, "The Snow Man Clown"—Boys of grades 5 and 6.

Vocal solo, "Sonny Boy"—Colette McCarthy.

Recitation, "Christmas Bells" — Method Porwoll.

Dialogue, "Darning the Stockings"—Roy Erdmann and Henry Meyer.

Reading, Gates Ajar (Joyce Kilmre)—Gertrude Remmels.

Play—"The Christmas Star."

The Star—Kathleen Lutz.

The Christmas Angel — Margaret Falkenreck.

Three Shepherds — Rosemary McKenna, Mary Ann Heath, Dorothy Maghan.

Three Wisemen — Mary Louise Matchan, Marie Janeck, Mardelle McGaffgan.

Chorus—Girls of grades 3 and 4

Attaining Happiness.

Happiness is not to be solicited, but comes with an appearance of finality to be juggled with off-hand. It seems to be some kind of balance; as in riding a bicycle, attempted painfully a thousand times, and achieved at last without effort.—Elizabeth Bowen.

Crack Troops Now at "the Front"

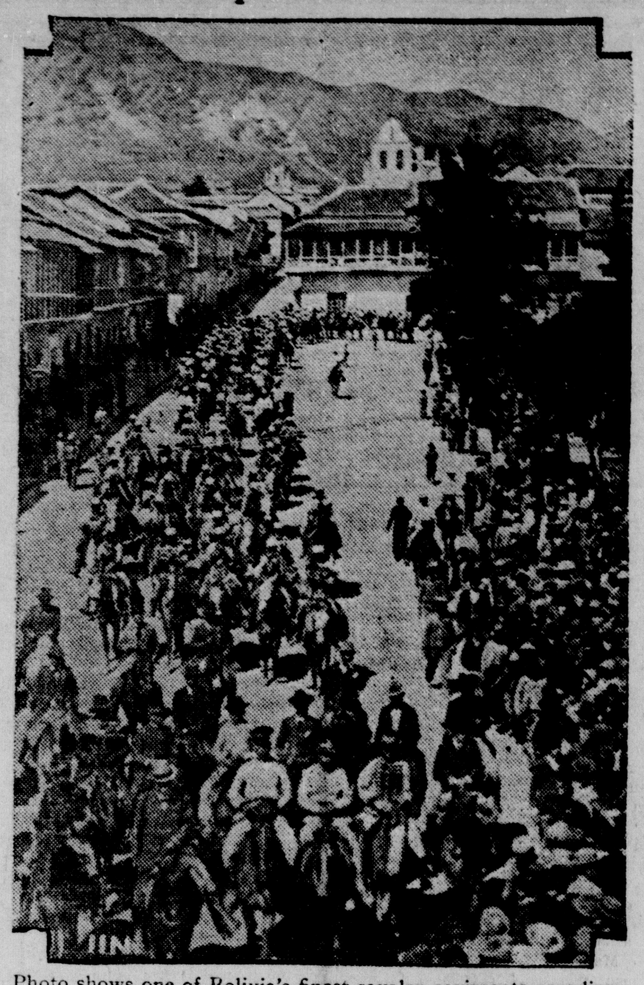


Photo shows one of Bolivia's finest cavalry regiments parading in Sucre recently during a demonstration of the country's military arm. It and every other available unit has been ordered to the Gran Chaco, where fierce fighting is reported between Bolivian and Paraguayan detachments.

(International Newsreel)

"Baby" in "Skyscraper."

Traveling in a special "skyscraper" crate, a baby giraffe recently went from its former home in South Africa to its new abode in England. The crate had to be specially constructed because of the animal's long neck, and exceptional precautions were taken to guard its health in its change from the tropical to the temperate climate, giraffes being delicate and subject to many ailments in northern climates.

Color and Sound.

It is said that at least 2 per cent of human beings associate a particular color with each sound they hear and sometimes this extends to the names of days of the week.

Keeping Cut Roses.

The life of cut roses can be prolonged, often to an extraordinary extent, if every night they are taken from their bowl or vase, a tiny bit snipped off the stalk, and then roughly scratched with the finger nail or one side of the scissors at intervals up the length, and then plunged right into a very deep pail of cold water. Even if the flowers themselves sometimes get under the water it does not matter.

Steam in the Cylinder.

Repression, some one has said, is a capital method of expression; it is the steam in the cylinder that turns the wheels, not that which is blown from the whistle.—American Magazine.

FRENCH WOMAN CLAIMS RIGHT TO WEAR PANTS

MADAME VIOLETTE MORRIS IS CHAMPION FRENCH WOMAN AUTOMOBILE DRIVER

STARTS SUIT AGAINST FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S SPORTS OF FRANCE

Paris, Dec. 21.—(UP) — Madame Violette Morris, champion French woman automobile driver, has sued the Federation of Women's Sports to uphold her right to wear pants and swear.

Madame Morris seeks 100,000 francs because she was refused a license by the Federation on the grounds:

First, that she continues to wear pantaloons or breeches despite the objections of federation officials.

Secondly, that she personally seeks the favor of sports writers.

Thirdly, that her language and habits are shocking and objectionable to the federation's membership.

Madame Morris said today that she is the granddaughter of a French army general, and admitted that her language contains many picturesque phrases learned in army barracks. She objects, however, to quitting pantaloons.

"Look around you and see the women with their knees crossed," she said. "Ask yourself, which is more immodest, their scanty dresses or my pantaloons?"

The case has aroused intense interest in smart circles of Paris, as well as in the sporting world. The trial will come up probably in January.

The Pastor Says:

No credit ever cancels a debit in conduct. Each stands until repented for.—John Andrew Holmes

FIRST CHRISTMAS NIGHT OF ALL

By NANCY BYRD TURNER
in Good Housekeeping

THAT first Christmas night of all,
No lights were in the dreaming town,
No steeples shook their tidings down,
No carols raised their call.

But music broke upon a hill,
And all the dark was strangely stirred,
With beauty of bright angels' word—
A word that echoes still.

And in a dim and dusty stall,
A little light began to glow,
That Christmas night so long ago—
First Christmas night of all!

TOWN OF JEREZ REPELS REBEL ATTACK

Mexico City, Dec. 21.—(U.P.)—A dispatch from La Prensa's correspondent at Zacatecas today said local defenders of the town of Jerez fought 150 rebels for three hours. Nine rebels and five defenders were killed in the battle.

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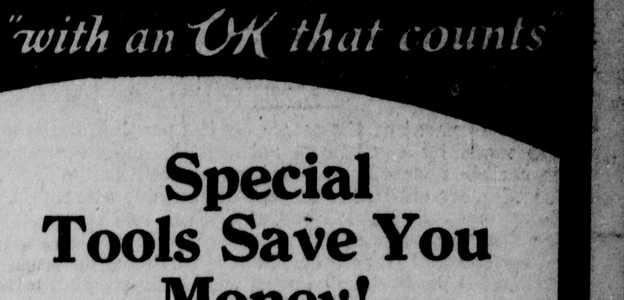
Here you will find a full line of fresh Garrott's and Lydia Darrah chocolates, also home-made fruit cakes with Yuletide wrappings. Individual Christmas trees will lend a festive air to the holiday table.

We desire to thank all our patrons and friends for their generous support in the past year and to wish all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

In order that our employees may fittingly enjoy ChristmasDay, we will be closed all day Tuesday.

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1928

A PLEA FOR THE REPORTER

THE New York Herald recently made this plea for the reporter.

If intelligence be defined as the ability to reach a reasonably correct conclusion from a set of discoverable facts, Dr. E. E. Free told a gathering of engineers the other night, then mechanics rank as the most intelligent men in America. To engineers he gave second place, and he set the actors, physicians, ministers and professors in one jumbled heap at the bottom of the class.

We would not take a single laurel from the brow of the garage mechanic, and we would not quarrel with the assertion that the once learned professions have settled in their ruts. But Dr. Free omitted one important, if small, classification of mankind. If intelligence be, as Dr. Free seems to suggest, that intuition which listens to a car's choke and follows the spasm to its source, then it is akin to the gift which detectives have in the story-books, though not, at the moment, in the New York police force. And if so, then we would raise a plea for the humble reporter, the lad who, in a flustered crowd, can find the one man who can tell a straight story of what happened, who can interview forty shipwrecked travelers as they wallk down the gangplank and build a connected story out of their contradictory misrememberings, who can gallop out on a tip from his city editor, follow a dozen clues in vain, yet finally land his story—incomplete, perhaps, but "reasonably correct," vastly closer to the fact than a dozen of his current critics could come in as many days as the reporter has hours to work in.

Without the stage notebook, but with the inevitable ultra-slouch hat, we set the old-fashioned newspaper reporter upon the pedestal of intelligence, side by side with Dr. Free's mechanic.

WHERE TWO'S A NUISANCE

IT was only a few months ago that the Northwest was "sitting pretty, thank you," before the radio, getting the best the nation had to offer, over WCCO. It was an admirable service the people were receiving. Its national hookup was so satisfactory that when this Minneapolis station was turned on, the family was content to listen in, and give WCCO the exclusive right of the air.

Then for some reason St. Paul had to have a station, which up to date has functioned poorly. So far as St. Cloud is affected it is far from satisfactory. That didn't matter much, because WCCO was so very satisfactory and comfortable. But later the Minneapolis station appeared to get in a controversy with the big national broadcasting managers, and the result was an infliction on the Northwest. The quality of the service given by WCCO has deteriorated, and what the St. Paul station sends is so poorly delivered, that it isn't delivered at all. If the national advertisers are paying good money to this station, they made a poor deal.

Now when the family wants to hear such a program as they formerly got from WCCO, and which supplied all their desires, they now tune in to some outside station, Chicago, Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, or Denver. The latter, by the way, comes the nearest to filling the place formerly held by the Minneapolis broadcaster.

It is to be regretted that Minnesota is taking about a fifth rate place in broadcasting when it formerly was at the top in very excellent service.

With one station we were happy, but when St. Paul butted in two became a nuisance.—*St. Cloud Journal-Press.*

IS THIS AMERICA?

IN a government of the people, by the people, for the people, laws are made by constituted authorities, enforcement comes through certain channels, and judges, as well as the laws they operate under, are entitled to respect and consideration.

Along comes the Black Hand of Chicago and threatens death to judge, star witnesses of the sovereign state of Illinois, prosecuting attorneys and all police officials, if further progress is made in the trial of three Italians charged with kidnaping Billy Ranieri and demanding $60,000 ransom.

Illinois, years ago, following a noted kidnaping case whose perpetrators sought ransom, invoked the death penalty on all criminals found committing such kidnaping.

The Ranieri matter, now aired in court, is concerned about the kidnaping of 10-year-old Billy Ranieri. Ten important witnesses for the state have fled the city because they were given warnings by the Black Hand that their homes would be bombed and children kidnaped if they gave testimony.

All persons now entering the court room are searched for weapons, reminding one of the days of the wild west when weapons were stacked at the door to prevent promiscuous shooting while justice was dispensed.

Chicago has its racketeering problem and also its Black Hand activity, both taxing the resources of the law.

WE know a bright woman of Brainerd who changes her weekly calendar to put the Monday washing into the electric washer at the end of the week instead of on a blue Monday. And on Saturday she also gains the help of the children who have no school duties.

WITH little snowfall present, skating will be a major sport this winter. And ice boating, too, thrives on clear ice. The winter isn't half as long if one has a program of sport to couple with it besides shoveling walks and loading furnaces.

IF God has been good to you and your family, remember those not so fortunate who may have little or no Christmas cheer. The city and school nurse, the county nurse, the child welfare worker, will quickly tell you of honest cases of need.

SEASONAL weather is always more profitable for the clothier, shoe man, coal man and others. Winter clothing is sold in winter. Nobody ever bought an overcoat in June.

CHRISTMAS shopping is getting down to the last laps and holiday business is speeding up. Good roads are bringing many people to town.

THE shortest day of the year today happens also to be the coldest one of the season.

ONE notices many community Christmas gatherings at the rural school houses.

HEADLESS BODY OF MAN IS FOUND IN CLEVELAND

POLICE TRY TO PENETRATE MYSTERY SURROUNDING DEATH

"VOODOO DOCTOR" BELIEVED IMPLICATED IN THE SLAYING

Cleveland, O., Dec. 21.—(U.P.)—The headless body of a man was held at the county morgue here today while police tried to penetrate the mystery surrounding his death.

In Charity hospital, with bullet wounds in both legs, was a "voodoo doctor" who is believed to have been implicated in the man's death although the story he told gave police no light on the mystery.

The "voodoo doctor" was shot when he attempted to flee from a House Detective Charles Rhodes and other officers were watching his room.

After he was removed to the hospital he confessed that two days ago he killed Nehemiah Gibbs with a piece of iron, robbed him of $35, then took the body to the basement of his house and chopped the head off with an ax.

A headless body was found by Theodore Arnstead, a roomer. And the head was found in an old cupboard, but police, checking the "doctor's" story, went to Gibbs' home and found him alive.

The "doctor," according to police, was arrested here a year ago for illegal practice of medicine.

HAD PLANS FOR UPRISING IN NORTH CHINA

Peking, Dec. 21.—(U.P.)—Communists arrested at Poa-Ting, near here, were found to be carrying plans for a general uprising in north China, it was said in authoritative quarters here today.

The Chinese nationalist government's director of public safety has guaranteed the protection of foreign lives in the event of any troubles, it was said.

Troop movements north and east of the city are reported to be continuing.

Definite reports from Chungking, where attacks on British ships and property were reported, are lacking.

SUFFERED 21 YEARS; THEN FOUND SARGON

Fargo Was Almost Helpless With Rheumatism and His Recovery Causes Many Friends to Take Sargon, Too

"Sargon not only rid me of twenty-one years of rheumatism and built me up twelve pounds in weight, but several of my friends are taking the medicine with just as remarkable results," was the statement made by E. B. Fargo, veteran retired railroad man, who resides at 214 North Seventh St., Minneapolis. Mr. Fargo was a trainman with the Chicago-Northwestern for twenty-one years and has a host of friends both in and out of the service, who will be glad to hear of his wonderful recovery.

"I was almost doubled up with rheumatism and spent hundreds of dollars on treatments and medicines but not a one of them reached my case until some of the railroad boys put me on to Sargon. My arms were so painful that I was almost helpless to dress myself and my leg and body were so badly affected that I could walk only with great difficulty. My appetite was next to nothing and between the rheumatism and my generally weak, run-down condition I was just about past going.

"It would be hard to mention a treatment or medicine that I have not tried since this rheumatism first started on me twenty-one years ago. The time and money must amount to thousands of dollars, but in spite of it all the rheumatism hung on and Sargon is the only thing that got rid of it.

"I could tell from the very first bottle of Sargon that I was on the right track at last for the medicine took right hold and the pains began to leave me. I have now taken six bottles and the rheumatism is a thing of the past. I also eat hearty, and feel stronger and one hundred per cent better in every way.

"My case has got a lot of people to taking Sargon already for when my friends see how well I am now they all want to know what did it, and when I tell them Sargon a lot of them go and get the medicine for themselves and they have all gotten such splendid results that they have everyone thanked me for putting them on to it."

Sargon may be obtained in Brainerd from H. P. Dunn; and in Pequot from A. S. Rasmussen. —Advt.



MR. AND MRS. PHILIP were nice people, but somehow or other they had missed out on the general prosperity of the times. They had no automobile to take them to the "movies"; in fact they rarely went. No radio kept them at home evenings, but while Mrs. Philip darned stockings and patched clothing, Mr. Philip would read aloud to her from the great poets, or from a classic novel. Daytimes they both worked hard, she with her housekeeping, and he at his bookkeeper's job. By strict economy they always managed to pay their rent on the first, and they always had an extra dollar in the bank when some unforseen trouble sent one of the little family to the doctor or the dentist. But Christmas was always a hardship. Plan as they would, they never seemed able to get anything ahead for this holiday. A broken water pipe in the small home, extra books for little Phil's school work, or perhaps new paper for one of their tiny rooms always seemed to take the small surplus on which they had planned to make a festive Christmas. They all hung up their stockings Christmas eve and they had a roast chicken for dinner the next day. Mr. Philip would read some Christmas stories to the family after breakfast. And that was the extent of their celebration.

Being nice people, they were a happy little family, and never complained. Of course they were sorry not to be able to do more for little Phil, but he was well, was receiving a good schooling, and was being



"That's Three Pounds and More for Each!" He Said.

brought up in the way he should go. In fact he was a model child. In his small way he seemed at twelve as mature as his parents. When he came in from play he would take a book and read till it was supper time. He had a magazine route that occupied him Saturdays delivering papers, and in that way he earned all of his own spending money, about thirty cents a week. At Christmas he would give out of his small savings some tiny ornament to his mother, and a lovely tie to his father.

Just the day before Christmas Mrs. Philip was thinking of what a nice little boy she had when she heard him talking to three of his playmates in the yard. "Yes sir-ee-ee," he was insisting, "we're having a ten-pounder, an' all for just three. That's three pounds and more for each!"

Mrs. Philip was thunderstruck. This was a new phase of little Phil—bragging, and lying. She couldn't believe her ears, for of course they weren't having a turkey for Christmas and in fact it was even doubtful if they would have a chicken this year—chickens were so high.

But being a nice mother she didn't yell at her son, and waited till evening to talk it over with her husband. They then decided that since it was little Phil's first lie—almost his first offense, they would overlook it until some further evidence of corruption should appear in him. Besides, it was only natural for the poor child to exaggerate on the day before Christmas.

What was the surprise of Mr. and Mrs. Philip next morning to find under their stockings a nice ten-pound turkey, which was not from Santa Claus, either, but from their own dear little Phil, who had denied himself his small extravagances for months in order to make this a real Christmas for them all. So little Phil had not lied, and this together with his sacrifice, made Mrs. Philip much happier even than the ten-pound turkey did, or could.

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Root of Jealousy.

The jealous man is not angry if you dislike another, but if you find those faults which are in his own character, you discover not only your dislike of another, but of himself.—Addison.

Mammoths and Man.

The first direct association of man and mammoths has been discovered in South Africa, where Stone age implements have been discovered in the same spot with teeth of the huge extinct beasts. The mammoths lived during the Ice age.

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RADIO PROGRAMS

Today
WCCO

5:45 p. m.—Livestock market summary.
5:55 p. m.—Summary market report and road conditions bulletin; news report.
6:00 p. m.—Cecelian Singers; Alma Weston Smith, accompanist; Paul Oberg, pianist.
7:00 p. m.—United Grand Opera Co.
8:00 p. m.—Howard Melaney, the Singing Fireman; Paul Oberg, accompanist.
8:30 p. m.—Merry Ramblers.
9:00 p. m.—Musical program.
9:30 p. m.—Wheaties quartet.
10:00 p. m.—Weather report.
10:05 p. m.—Dance program—Emmet Long's orchestra; Adrian Revere, baritone; Ramona Gerhard, accompanist.
11:05 p. m.—Dance program — Wally Erickson's orchestra.

KSTP

6:45 p. m.—Moorman Entertainers.
7:30 p. m.—Town Criers orchestra; Art White, tenor.
8:01 p. m.—Wrigley review.
9:00 p. m.—Stromberg-Carlson Sextet.
10:03 p. m.—KSTP Amos 'n Andy.
11:30 p. m.—National Limited, dance feature.

Five Best Features

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WJZ and Network, 6 p. m.—Great moments in history.

WEAF and Network, 7 p. m.—Cities Service hour.

WJZ and Network, 8 p. m.—Wrigley review.

WOR and Network, 8 p. m.—True Story hour.

WOR and Network, 9 p. m.—United Opera company.

Saturday
WCCO

7:00 a. m.—Time signal program.
9:15 a. m.—Program for the day and news bulletin.
9:50 a. m.—Weather and market reports; New York stock exchange.
11:30 a. m.—Market reports and New York stock exchange.
12:00 m.—Hotel Lowry trio.
12:30 p. m.—Weather and market reports.
5:55 p. m.—Summary market report and road conditions bulletin; news report.
6:00 p. m.—Ramona Gerhard, pianist.
6:15 p. m.—Dinner concert—Wesley Barlow's orchestra; Archibald Sowden, violinist; Paul Oberg, accompanist.
6:30 p. m.—The World Book Man.
7:00 p. m.—Music Box trio.
7:30 p. m.—Fireside Philosophies—Rev. Roy L. Smith, of Simpson M. E. church, Minneapolis.
7:45 p. m.—The Old Producer.
8:00 p. m.—Musical program.
8:30 p. m.—Musical program.
9:00 p. m.—Musical program.
10:00 p. m.—Weather report.
10:05 p. m.—Dance program — Dick Long's orchestra; Bob Barker, tenor; Ramona Gerhard, accompanist.

KSTP

7:00 p. m.—The Beachcombers.
8:01 p. m.—Philco hour.
9:00 p. m.—Lucky Strike dance orchestra.
10:03 p. m.—Amos 'n' Andy.
11:15 p. m.—The Howdy Boy, Happy Harry.
11:25 p. m.—National Limited—Dance feature.

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HEAVYWEIGHT ELIMINATION IS PROBEEM IN FISTICUFFS

IS COMPETITOR OF RICKARD AND C. C. PYLE

ERRATIC CAREER AS BOXING PROMOTER MARKED BY FIASCOS

ALMOST AS NOTEWORTHY AS RICKARD FLOP AND PYLE BUNION DERBY

By DIXON STEWART
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

Chicago, Dec. 21.—Jim Mullen, promotion competitor of Tex Rickard and C. C. Pyle, has promoted himself into a $20,000 a year job.

Mullen's erratic career as a boxing promoter has been marked by frequent fiascos almost as noteworthy as Rickard's Tunney-Heeney show or Pyle's "bunion derby." Mullen's "busts" have been many and seldom been offset by successes.

Mullen, who claims to have made his first dollar in Chicago by selling the city hall to a "rube," has signed as match maker for the newly organized Coliseum Athletic club at a salary of $20,000 a year.

In the last year Mullen lost money on almost every show — including even such a "natural" as the Mickey Walker-Ace Hudkins championship fight. Creditors foreclosed a mortgage on the Mullen gymnasium and the former czar was counted out of the ring game in Chicago.

Following Mullen's enforced retirement Mique Malloy advanced to the ranking of Chicago's leading fight promoter. Monday Malloy staged his first important fight, at the Coliseum, and drew a $37,000 gate. Some 2,000 fans were turned away.

Malloy's success gave the Coliseum board of directors something to think about and brought the announcement that the Coliseum Athletic club had been organized to conduct all future boxing shows at the Coliseum. The Coliseum club included a group of wealthy business men.

Directors of the new club declared they would hire "one of the most successful match makers in the state" as match maker for the Coliseum. The next announcement brought the news that Mullen, despite his many failures, was to be the match maker.

ALLEYS KIDS BEAT BRAINO BEVERAGES

MOOSE NO. 1 DEFEATS MOOSE NO. 2 TWO OUT OF THREE IN EXCITING MATCHES

The Moose No. 1 team took the Moose No. 2 team into camp last night for two of three games, while the Alley Kids took three straight from the Braino Beverages.

The Moose games were mighty interesting and both teams had leather-lunged rooters in the gallery.

Dave Montgomery, with 579, was high man for the evening.

The box scores follow:

ALLEY KIDS—			
Boyd	140	162	165—467
Miller	146	151	127—424
Hall	137	147	145—429
Hallas	137	146	153—436
Trask	143	150	182—475
Handicap	57	57	57—171
Totals	760	813	829 2402
BRAINO BEVERAGES—			
Roth	122	120	81—323
Blind	140	140	140—420
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Blind	140	140	140—420
Handicap	20	20	20— 60
Totals	702	700	661 2063
MOOSE NO. 2—			
Handeland	132	180	155—465
L.Montgomery	183	213	107—503
Blind	140		—140
Morcomb	124	173	100—397
Brandow	145	147	144—436
Beggs		120	149—269
Handicap	57	77	77—211
Totals	781	910	720 2521
MOOSE NO 1—			
D.Montgomery	184	213	182—579
E.Montgomery	154	130	168—452
Holly	127	106	137—370
Crust	125	125	114—364
Sylvester	163	130	134—427
Handicap	100	100	100—300
Totals	853	804	835 2492

Artificial "Snow."

Once a novelty, "chemical snow" is now manufactured by the ton instead of by the ounce. It is increasingly used for refrigeration, for under certain conditions this substance is said to be 15 times as efficient as water ice. Ice cream, now shipped from New York to Cuba, weighs only one-third as much as it would if packed with ice.

JAMES MULLEN PROMOTES SELF TO $20,000 JOB

Audition Winners



A $5,000 prize each and two years' scholarship in any American musical academy—that was what fell into the hands of pretty Hazel C. Arth and Donald Novis, winners of the 1928 national radio audition. They were snapped as they received the prizes.
(International Newsreel)

CHRISTMAS!

By James Edward Hungerford

CHRISTMAS! The magical, musical
ring of it—
No finer word in the world can be found!
Molded and made for us mortals to sing of it;
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pound!

CHRISTMAS! The lilt and the rhythm
and THRILL of it!—
Dear, loving word that was made to
impart
HAPPINESS, friends—may you all have
your FILL of it—
Feeling the throb of it deep in your
HEART!

CHRISTMAS! It's coming to wipe away
care again—
Blotting out memories tragic and drear;
Bringing rich BLESSINGS for mankind to
share again—
Filling our hearts with the magic of
CHEER!

CHRISTMAS! To some it means COURAGE to start again;
Help for the helpless, and strength for
the strong;
Giving the hopeless a chance to take heart
again—
God's loving gifts to humanity's throng.

CHRISTMAS! We all love the sound and
the sing of it;
Sinner and saint, and the godless and good;
Hearts of the world all respond to the ring
of it—
Bringing mankind into one BROTHERHOOD!

CHRISTMAS! All Nations rejoice to the
THRILL of it—
Paupers and peasants; the rich and renowned;
Spirit of Love—may we bow to the WILL
of it—
Then we'll have CHRISTMAS the
whole year around!

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TEX RICKARD CALLS COUNCIL OF 4 WISE MEN

TUNNEY-MULDOON TROPHY COMMITTEE ARE SUMMONED

RICKARD EXPLAINS PRESENT DIFFICULTIES AMONG "HEAVIES"

By GEORGE KIRKSEY
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

New York, Dec. 21.—Something's got to be done about the heavyweights to get them eliminated and Tex Rickard gathered four wise and wary men around a luncheon table today for that very purpose.

It was the first meeting of members of the Tunney-Muldoon trophy committee members and Tex Rickard asked them to make a rule forcing all the contenders to enter an elimination tournament and fight it out for the vacated heavyweight title.

Besides Rickard, the committee is composed of John McEtee Bowman, hotel owner; Judge Jeremiah T. Mahoney; Bernard Gimbel, merchant millionaire and close friend of Gene Tunney; and Herbert Bayard Swope, editor of the New York World.

When a fellow like Jim Maloney is back knocking at the door of the heavyweight elimination tournament, the situation could hardly be what one would describe as ideal.

Maloney, knocked out by Jack Sharkey, George Godfrey and Tom Heeney less than two years ago, fights Con O'Kelly, Irish importation, in a 10-round bout at Madison Square Garden tonight. And if he wins who can deny him a place in the tournament?

Rickard, explaining the present difficulties among the heavyweights, said, "They all want to fight Risko and then meet Dempsey."

Everyone figures Risko, who made so much trouble last winter, is through as a dangerous fighter and it looks like everyone is almost right. Godfrey's body punches did it, they say.

Even poor old Tom Heeney thinks he's entitled to a match with Dempsey for the heavyweight championship. Charlie Harvey, Heeney's manager, has been worrying Rickard for days about the match, but Tex won't even talk to him.

Johnny Buckley, Sharkey's manager, was due in town today to listen to Rickard's proposition for Sharkey to fight Young Stribling at Miami Beach, Fla., in February. But there was some doubt whether he would sign.

There seems to be some suspicion among the Sharkey crowd about fighting Stribling, a southerner, in Florida.

Helpful Visitor.

Don't feel you must be just as funny as you can be when visiting a sick person in order to cheer him up. Keep a pleasant face and try to be entertaining, but don't talk so much that you tire the patient.

Oh, for a Golf Pro's Life!



What could be sweeter than the job Leo Diegel, P. G. A champion, has annexed for the coming two years. Here he is on the links at the Aguas Caliente Golf Club, attending, in his capacity as club pro, to the business of instructing pretty Sally O'Neill of the movies.
(International Newsreel)

BRAINERD 25 YEARS AGO

From the Daily Dispatch

December 21, 1903

C. W. Koering left today for Little Falls on business.

J. M. Elder left for the Twin Cities on business this noon.

W. S. Jordan returned yesterday afternoon from Aitkin where he had been on business.

Oscar Marshall left this afternoon for Eau Claire, Wis., where he expects to spend Christmas.

Mrs. S. D. Nicholson and Mrs. A. D. Peterson, her daughter, left this afternoon for the Twin Cities for a few days visit.

Miss Nannie Nicholson who has been visiting in the city the guest of her brother, Dr. Nicholson, left today for her home at Strout, Minn.

Miss Josephine Crossley, who has been visiting in the city a guest of her sister, Mrs. C. L. Burnett, left yesterday for her home at Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Henry Nichols, of Menonominee, Wis., and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Nichols of the same place arrived in the city this afternoon. The former will make her home in Brainerd this winter with her son, Charles A. Nichols.

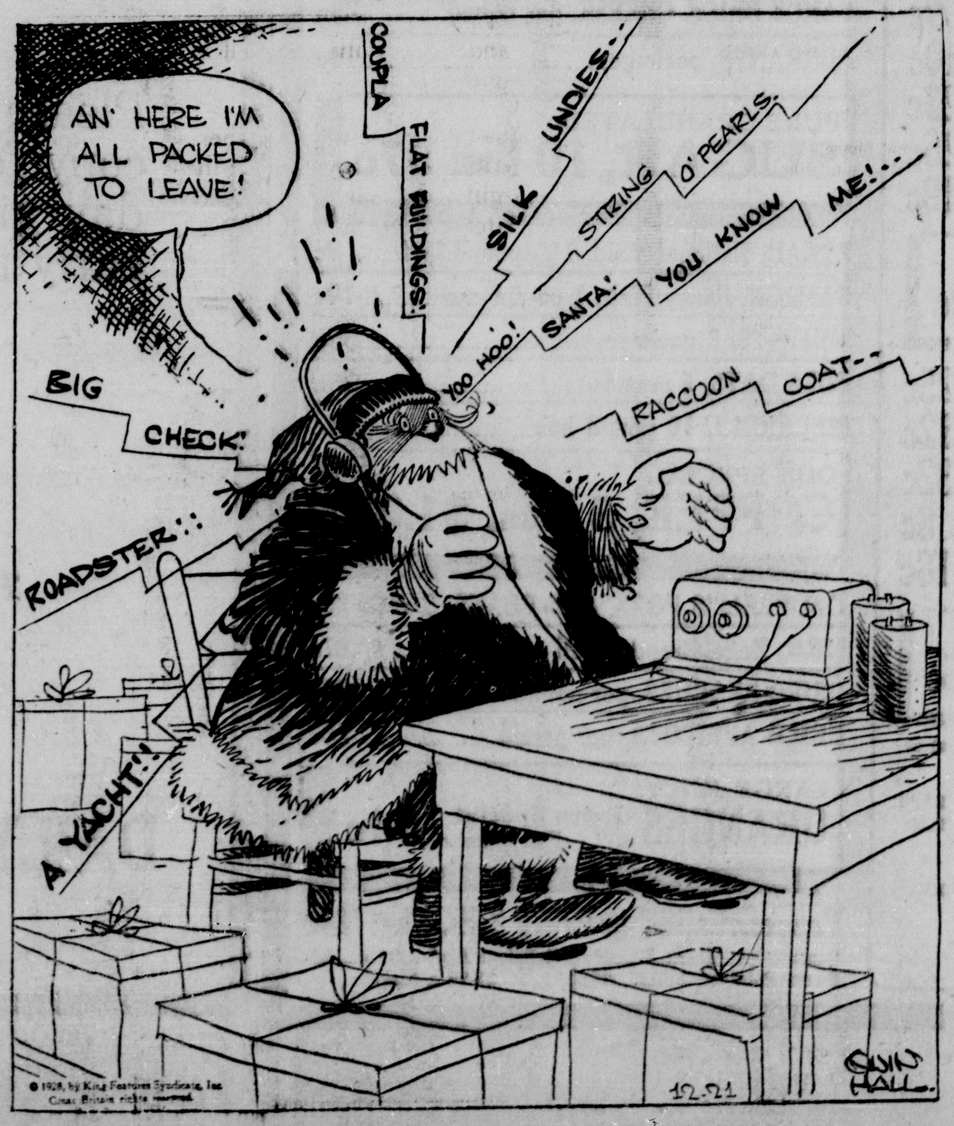
The condition of H. Carney remains about the same. At times he sinks very rapidly and on different occasions he has been thought to be dying but he seems to revive from these attacks and is holding on and making a great fight against death. His condition, however, is not in the least encouraging and the attending physicians state that he cannot live.

Charles Collins and Isaac Johnson, of Toledo, Ohio, who have been visiting in the city during the last few days, returned this afternoon.

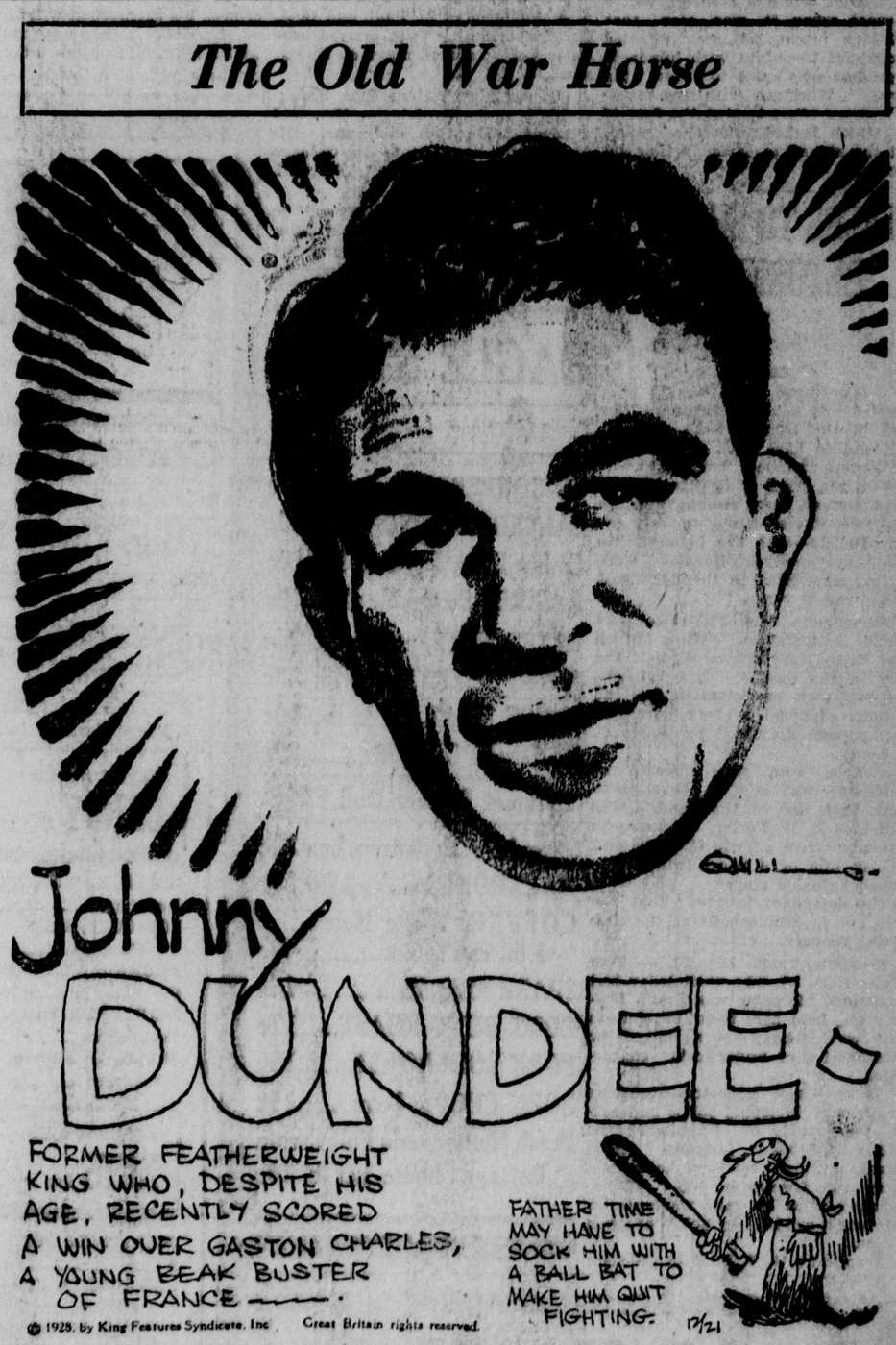
A Thrilling "Uncle Tom" On View at the Lyceum Theatre

Adjectives fail when it comes to telling about "Uncle Tom's Cabin" the Universal masterpiece which has its last showing at the Lyceum tonight. This production will undoubtedly go down into screen history as the greatest picture of all time. For entertainment reaction, production value, perfection of cast and direction and historical correctness, "Uncle Tom's Cabin" more than realizes the high anticipation prior to its first showing.

BUT LITTLE HERE BELOW



The Old War Horse



By QUIN HALL.

WHEN Santa Claus makes his rounds next week he might just as well leave a pair of boxing gloves for Johnny Dundee, because if we're not mistaken, Johnny is going to be a box fighter if he ever grows up.

Seriously speaking, Johnny has been campaigning in the cauliflower industry and it is likely that he will continue to box as long as he can lift his hand high enough to sign up for a bout or climb into a ring without the aid of crutches. Johnny is one of these oldsters who just refuses to give up, and if Ol' Father Time is going to do anything about it he'll probably have to use a baseball bat to sock Johnny down and put him entirely out of the picture.

The former featherweight king came back in New York recently and won a decision over Gaston Charles, a youthful Frenchman, and once a fighter of the Dundee type tastes victory it is difficult to keep him from continuing in his chosen profession.

The old fellow groped his way through the early rounds and in the eighth he came to life with enough of his old time magic to score a decision and while the victory has no significance in the current fistic pattern it proved that Dundee, under a handicap of old age, still has more fighting brains than 99 per cent of the present crop of so-called beak busters.

The old snap and dash for which Dundee became noted is sadly lacking but the old masterly judgment of pace is still functioning. But the ringsiders who orbed that melee hope that Dundee will not fight again. On the other hand, Dundee says that he will continue to bound off the ropes and mystify his opponents.

There are two sides to why Dundee still continues to seek bouts and refuses to stay out of the game. One has to do with the fact that he loves to fight. The other centers about the rumor that he is short on funds and refuses to have benefits staged in his behalf. Dundee built up a fortune for himself before the days of heavy gates and salted it away for his old age. The present rumor has to do with the subject of bad judgment in investments and the information seems to show that the little fellow is pretty well "cleaned." Sad, if true, because Dundee, personally, is a likable soul and when a fighter has enough sense to guard the coin when it is coming in and then loses it through an error of judgment or bad advice it is rather pitiful. If Dundee is really fighting to get a new stake he deserves to get a break because he always gave the public a run for its money when he was in his prime and deserves a lot of credit for not giving up, even now.

On the other hand it is a known fact that Dundee has always liked the game. Even when he was flush with money and yet past the age where he could expect to do his best fighting, he always visited a gym every day and kept himself in the pink of condition. And he was constantly nibbling for a chance to get in a ring. He liked to fight and he loved the glamor of it all.

It got so that Joe Humphries, the official New York announcer, when introducing Dundee from the ring always stated that Johnny had retired. This got under Dundee's hide and he used to insist that Humphries would eliminate that part of the introduction before he'd agree to be introduced. "I haven't retired and I don't intend to for a long time," says Johnny in that husky voice of his. And it may really be a long time before he hangs up the gloves.

MORE BLASTS DO DAMAGE IN LONDON

ENDANGER FOUNDATIONS OF BUILDINGS IN THE DISTRICT

17 PERSONS, INCLUDING THOSE GASSED, WERE INJURED

London, Dec. 21.—(UP) — Additional explosions of gas mains in the west end and central London district early today did further damage and endangered the foundations of buildings in the district.

Seventeen persons, including seven who were gassed, were injured in the explosions which began yesterday and continued intermittently for 20 hours after the first main burst. An explosion of an electric dynamo on which repair men were working in a manhole caused the first main to explode.

At 10 P. M. yesterday, officials announced that all mains had been sealed, but another of the storage tanks beneath the streets burst into flames at 2:30 A. M. today. It was feared that other tanks or mains might explode. At times the flames from the explosions shot fifty feet into the air.

Throughout the night, the district —one of the busiest traffic and business centers of the city—was paralyzed. For more than a mile the streets were shattered or bulged as though there had been an earthquake.

Storekeepers and those living in the district who had been ordered to evacuate when it was seen that buildings might collapse, mingled throughout the night with hundreds of persons who came to view the havoc. Workmen with gas masks made every effort to stop the flow of gas which leaked from the mains and threatened to cause further explosions.

DEVERS TO BE RETURNED TO MINNESOTA

(Continued from Page 1)

arrested and held at Brainerd for trial in the Ironton bank robbery, was said to have been a visitor at the Devers "summer home."

With the arrest of Devers, Nichols and Courtney, there remains at large only two others—Bill Finn and Arthur Delisle—who are believed to have been the perpetrators of a score of "big time jobs" in the northwest during recent years.

Minneapolis, Dec. 21.—After 26 hours' deliberation, during which they failed to reach a verdict, the jury in the case of Gus Nichols, charged with participation in the $88,000 diamond robbery here last Oct. 3, was dismissed by Judge C. C. Leary.

Nichols, who was arrested at Rochester, was said by the state to have been one of the bandits who kidnaped E. H. Porter, Chicago gem salesman, from a Twin City bus and robbed him of a pouch which contained valuable stones.

The defendant testified that he was not in Minneapolis at the time of the robbery.

Memphis, Tenn., Dec. 21. — Tom Underwood, 38, who until today had contended his name was Frank Devers, was held here today on charges that would stamp him as one of the most active of underworld characters.

Three postol inspectors met here today with Memphis police and asked for custody of Underwood on charges of bond jumping, prison breaking, mail robbery, bank robbery and jewelry holdup. Indictments against him and warrants for his arrest are held by police of seven cities.

Inspectors W. F. Esch of Chicago; A. A. Anderson of St. Paul, and H. A. Roland of Kansas City, arrived here today and compared notes on Underwood.

He was identified as Tom Underwood, born in Bardstown, Ky., and an orphan since an early age. His underworld connections in Chicago is with "Tony the Wop" Petreilli, Esch said.

While Underwood probably will be formally charged with several other crimes, his extradition will be sought on charges of kidnaping a mail clerk in Hibbing, Minn., and robbing him of three registered letters.

Troops Mutiny, Ruler in Flight



raged at "westernization" orders of King Amanullah and his val consort, Queen Souriya (inset), units of Afghanis-n's army rebelled and chased their majesties into hiding. The oto shows a patrol of Sepoys on duty near Kabul in the tumn of 1925, at which time Amanullah had another uprisg on his hands.

(International Newsreel)

SOVIET 'GLAND FACTORY' IS IN OPERATION

ENTERPRISE BETTER KNOWN AS THE SUKHUM MONKEY FARM

APES GAMBOL, UNIMPRESSED BY HIGH DESTINY ARRANGED FOR THEM

By EUGENE LYONS
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

Sukhum, Abkhazian, Soviet Republic, Dec. 21.—The first Soviet "gland factory," better known as the Sukhum Monkey Farm, has been started here.

On a hill overlooking the Black Sea, some thirty-five natives of Africa and the South Seas—and two tiny apes born under the red flag in the last few months — gambol in their cages unimpressed by the high scientific destiny to which they are dedicated.

Their imprisonment is only temporary. The entire hillside, rich in tropical trees, is being prepared as a domain where they may rove and multiply at will. Several laboratories have been equipped for the preparation of gland extracts and experimentation on treatment of many diseases.

The farm is part of an extensive endrinico-logical department under the commissariat of health. It has succeeded, the director claimed, in making the country independent of foreigners in meeting its demands for a variety of serums.

Dr. Y. A. Tobolkin,, who is in charge of the farm and the experimental work connected with it, reflects the general pride. A student of Voronoff, he is completely convinced of the efficacy of rejuvenation and its large place in the medicine of the near future. The monkey farm, he told the United Press correspondent, represents the "fountain of youth" for which mankind has been seeking through the ages.

Sixty years old, Dr. Tobolkin is as spry as any of the tennants on his farm. His vigor, he explained in response to a question, is natural and not the result of rejuvenation.

But when it runs out, Dr. Tobolkin said, he intends to renew it artificially.

"I expect to live beyond a century,' 'he said, with a smile, but in all seriousness.

Dr. Tobolkin, it will be recalled, won considerable notoriety about a year ago when he disclosed plans for crossing human beings and monkeys in the interest of science. He admitted to the United Press that the plans have not been abandoned.

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CRANBERRIES, 2 lbs 47c
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DROMEDARY DATES, pkg 19c
Popcorn, white 3 lbs 25c
POPCORN, Black Mexican, 2 lbs. 25c
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JELLO, All Flavors, 3 Packages 19c
FANCY MIXED NUTS Per pound 29c
JOLLY TIME POP CORN, 2 Cans 25c
SWANSDOWN CAKE FLOUR, Per Package 32c
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DAILY DISPATCH

URGES NEW POLICY IN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

R. L. Geist, Nominee for President of Association, States His Platform

SUGGESTS RADICAL CHANGE

If Elected Would Advocate Abandoning Present Quarters and Hiring Industrial Secretary

The following letter written by R. L. Geist to R. E. Wyett, President of the Brainerd Chamber of Commerce, is given in full so that members may have an understanding of the stand taken by Mr. Geist, who was nominated for the presidency of the association in the recent primary held:

Having noticed an article in the Dispatch to the effect that my name was unopposed for the office of President of the Chamber for the ensuing year, I am taking this means of expressing my sincere regret at the withdrawal of Dr. Beise's name and I hope that some pressure can be brought to bear upon the Doctor to induce him to reconsider his action and allow his nomination to stand. Doctor Beise would make an energetic and successful President.

If this cannot be brought about, I would then suggest that some other good man be interviewed and induced to accept the nomination and his name placed before the membership by the Board of Directors, if that is possible, otherwise a "sticker" campaign could be arranged.

While I do not want this office and doubt my ability to handle it, nevertheless I am not unmindful of the honor paid me by the membership in proposing my name for this high office, but at the same time I want to use whatever avenues there are open to me to let it be known to every member exactly what my attitude is toward the present type of organization. Therefor I trust you will give the following statements as much publicity as possible before the date of election, Dec. 26, and read this letter in open meeting as the first order of business preceeding the balloting. The thought behind this announcement is to be absolutely fair with all those members who are opposed to the ideas expressed herein, warn them of my position and allow them ample opportunity to marshall the opposition, thereby furnishing a true indication of the wishes of the majority. The desire is for continued harmony regardless of what this wish might be.

If by any remote chance, I am elected to serve as the President of the Brainerd Chamber of Commerce, I shall use all the energy at my command, openly and above board, to bring about a re-organization of this body along what I am pleased to term, "business lines." Without going into detail at this time as to my reasons for believing a change is necessary and desirable, allow me to state what this change would involve.

At the direction of a majority of the membership, the present Chamber quarters would be abandoned and all personal property sold, with the exception of a desk, table and a few chairs. The desk, table and chairs would be moved to an office room, which room would be the future Chamber headquarters, presided over by an industrial Secretary. This secretary would be hired and fired by the Board of Directors and would look to the Board, meeting once a month or oftener if necessary, for his guidance. The Board of Directors would be elected annually by the membership and at which annual meeting a report of the preceeding year's activities and accomplishments would be presented to the membership for their approval or criticism. The delegation of authority by the membership to the Board of Directors and Secretary, puts it absolutely up to this later body of men to produce results. No work, except upon special call, would be delegated to committees.

I stand committed to this proposed change in type of organization, believing it to be business-like and eventually beneficial to the community and realizing at the same time that it will be opposed by many men of longer residence here, who are just as anxious to see Brainerd forge ahead in a civic way, I respectfully urge the publicity requested. The decision rests entirely with the membership.

CONSIDER BETTER SHOW CONDITIONS

Brainerd to Receive "Talkies" When New House or Remodelling Completed

HILLER ATTENDS CONVENTION

Theatre is in New Era, Managers Are Taught at F. and R. Meet

W. R. Hiller, manager of local F. and R theatres has returned from Minneapolis where he attended a three day school of instruction of all F. and R., and Publix theatres managers in which the fact was stressed that the theatre is at present in a different world than what it was before "sound" made its appearance in connection with the silversheet.

"We were drilled from every standpoint of reception of 'sound'. The theatre has become an important part in the revolutionizing of the motion picture industry with the addition of 'talkies.' Every manager was informed that the old style of theatre operation was past and that every one must acquaint himself thorcughly with the changes," said Mr. Hiller.

Mr. Hiller was promised that Brainerd would be included with theatres carrying "all speaking movies" although this new feature would not be installed until a new theatre is built or the Park theatre remodelled.

Mr. Hiller stated that officials of F. and R. were considering improved theatre conditions for Brainerd and that they would announce their plans when they have decided upon the procedure.

Synchronized phonographic music may soon be installed at the Lyceum theatre as an added musical feature. Mr. Hiller said.

DAD'S NIGHT

Boy Scout Troop No. 4 Holds Function in Southeast Brainerd

The Boy Scout Troop No. 4, held a "Dad's Night" last evening at the hose house, Southeast Brainerd. About 22 were present.

Games were played during the evening, after which stories were called for. John Holvick, one of "dads" contributed a very interesting story. A luncheon was served by the committee.

This troop is working along with the Harrison Parent Teachers association to make a skating ring for the children in Southeast Brainerd. Work on the rink will commence tomorrow.

ELKS HOSTS TO ALL CHILDREN MONDAY

Theatre Party Arranged at Lyceum Theatre as Elks Christmas Treat

SPECIAL PICTURE PROGRAM

First Show to Start at 10 A. M.; Santa Claus to Pass Out "Goodies"

All children of grade school age are invited to become guests of the Elks Lodge at a Christmas theatre party to be held Monday morning at the Lyceum theatre.

To accomodate all the children expected to attend, there will be two shows, the first to start at 10 a. m. and the second to begin at 11:15 a. m.

Santa Claus will be there to give Christmas sweetmeats, peanuts, candy and apples to all children as they pass out of the theatre.

Those who will be unable to obtain seats for the first show will be taken care of by the Lodge until after the first show when they will be permitted to attend the second.

The party is an annual Christmas custom instituted by the lodge.

The show program includes a Felix comedy, an "Our Gang" comedy and a two reel western thriller, secured by Mr. Hiller.

MRS. C. BOURQUIN RITES TOMORROW

Aged Lady Passed Away Yesterday at Home of her Daughter, Mrs. J. C. Norton

Funeral rites for Mrs. Charlotte Bourquin, aged 73 years, who passed away yesterday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Norton, three miles west of Brainerd, will be conducted tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock from the Whitney chapel. Interment will be at Evergreen cemetery.

Surviving are two sons, Samuel of Gull Lake, Robert of Baxter township, and one daughter, Mrs. Norton, also five grandchildren. Her husband predeceased her.

Methodist Pageant

Those in the pageant given by the Bible school of the First Methodist church will practice this evening at 7 o'clock in the church.

MAPLE GROVE

Anton Hettver motored to Glencoe last week.

Week end visitors in Brainerd were Fred Segler, Jr., Wm. F. Rau, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fortune, Mrs. Chas. Boeder and daughter, Bernice.

Mrs. Edlund visited at her son's home, Norval Mohl Friday and Saturday.

Miss Marguerite Rau spent the week end with Miss Elsie Linn in Brainerd.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rau and family visited at the Harold Rau home Friday evening.

Roy Wiedewitsch is working in Brainerd temporarily.

Francis Hettver and Fred Segler, Sr., were Brainerd callers Tuesday.

Arthur Segler who has been on the sick list is improving.

A town board and telephone meeting was held in the town hall Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bower were Brainerd shoppers Tuesday.

SELL TICKETS FOR COUNTRY CLUB DANCE

Card Party is Also Booked for Christmas Season Event, December 28

Invitations to the Brainerd Country club dance and card party Friday evening December 28 at the Moose hall will be regulated by the sale of tickets, it was announced today.

The rooms will be decorated suitable to the Christmas season with Miss Elizabeth Murphy in charge of decorations.

Frappe and wafers will be served as refreshments.

The card party will be in the smaller room under the direction of Mrs. Robert Duerr with the dance in the Moose hall proper. Both will commence at 9 o'clock.

HOSPITAL RADIO FUND DONATIONS

W. C. O. F.	$ 10.00
Purity Baking Co., St. Paul	10.00
Swift and Co.	5.00
Robert Peterson	1.00
Wm. D. Allston, Star Route	1.00
Andrew Jackson, Route 7	1.00
Brainerd Paper and Supply Co. by Harry J. O'Brien	3.00
Henry Busher	.50
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Roy Anderson	.50
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Carl Kobel	.50
R. C. Westerlund	.50
George Denis	.75
J. E. Malstrom	.50
Edward Apgar	.50
James Peterson	.50
Art Swanson	.50
H. F. Peters	1.00
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PIANO TUNER FOUND DEAD IN HIS BED

Claude W. Hilton's Body Found at His Home in West Brainerd

LIVED ALONE IN HOUSE

Daughter From Kansas City Expected Here Today to Arrange Rites

Funeral arrangements were to be completed today for Claude W. Hilton, age about 58 years, who was found dead in his bed at his home in West Brainerd Wednesday morning from heart failure.

Mr. Hilton who had lived in Brainerd a number of years, working as a piano tuner, occupied a house in West Brainerd alone.

Death of Mr. Hilton was first known by Chester Thabes who came to the house at 8 a .m. to assist him with some work. Unable to awake the occupant, Mr. Thabes investigated. Securing a neighbor, Sam Hawkins, the two gained entrance through the window. Coroner D. E. Whitney was notified, taking charge of the body.

A daughter who resides in Kansas City, Mo., was expected in Brainerd today.

Birthday Party

A number of friends of Gust Swanson, 901 South Sixth, were pleasantly entertained Tuesday evening at a 6 o'clock dinner, the occasion being Mr. Swanson's 74th birthday. Covers were laid for 12.

The evening was spent socially. Mr. Swanson was presented with a number of useful gifts by his many friends.

Nature's Wise Provision.

Though November is proverbially the gloomiest month in the year, it is conspicuously rich in beef, mutton, veal, pork, and house-lamb, as well as in fish, poultry, game and wild fowl. Thus, by an admirable provision in the economy of nature, at the season when the human appetite is increasing in strength, the means of gratifying it are multiplied.—William Hone.

GENERAL CADORNA, ITALIAN ARMY COMMANDER, DIES

Bordighera, Italy, Dec. 21.—(U.P.)—Marshal Count Luigi Cadorna, who commanded the Italian army in the world war for two critical years, died today of a blood clot on the brain. Death came at about 4 p. m. after the count had been in a coma for several days.

S. D. A. Church

1009 South 7th Street

Y. P. meeting Friday at 8 P. M.

Sabbath school (Saturday) at 10:15 A. M. Lesson: "The Lamb of God," Isaiah 52:13-15; 53:1-5.

Morning worship at 11:30 A. M. Elder A. J. Haysmer of St. Paul, will speak at this hour.

Emil G. Sauer pastor.

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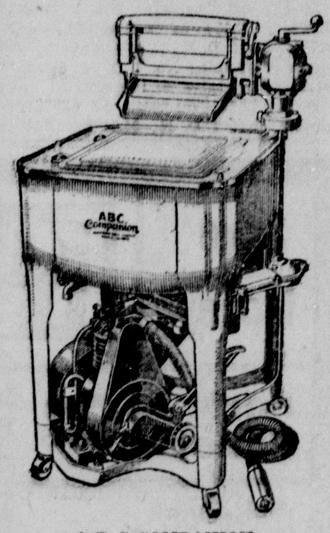
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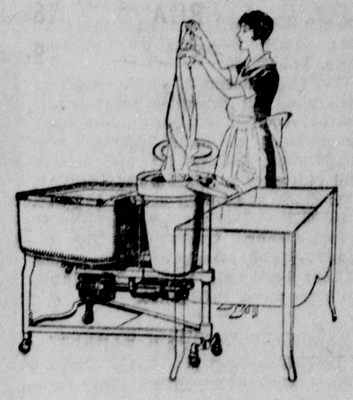
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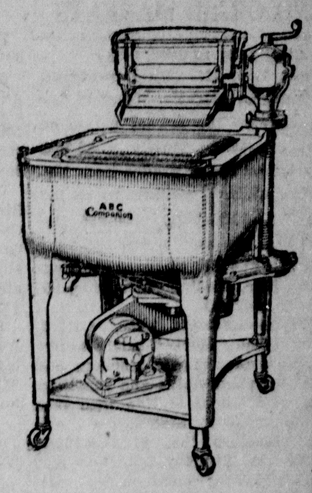
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WHAT HAS HAPPENED SO FAR.

JERRY DUNN, reporter, falls in love with Ann Tremaine, wealthy debutante. He takes her to live at his boarding house, and she is attracted to Steve Harrison, a husky mechanic of whom Jerry is jealous. Ann gets a job in a theatre owned by Nick Pagalos, a Greek. Shortly after, Maizie Thompson, an ex-sweetheart of Steve's, appears on the scene. She accuses Ann of having stolen Steve from her, but Steve denies this, saying he does not love Maizie. A friendship develops between Jerry and Maizie, and one evening the four of them go out together. The party is a complete failure, and Ann is hurt by Jerry's attentions to Maizie. At the same time, when Steve tells her he comes of an Old Virginia family she begins to think of him more seriously. They walk home and she leaves him at her door, realizing she will have to see Jerry that night.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY.

CHAPTER XLV.

ANN'S acute desire to see Jerry Dunn and talk to him so late at night did not conflict with the mode of life she was living. In the rooming house was an informality that amounted to total freedom. If she liked she could go to his room at any hour, or he could call upon her. And tonight desperately she needed his companionship.

But he was not home yet; he was still out with Maizie. Ann slipped downstairs to the floor below, where Mrs. Yager, the proprietress, had her room—a curious, good-natured creature given to wearing wrappers and addicted to late hours. Fortunately, Mrs. Yager was still awake.

"Do you have a pass key that would let me into Mr. Dunn's room?" asked Ann, without any thought of impropriety. "I'm a little nervous and I would like to go in there and sit in his easy chair and read a while until he comes home."

"Of course, dearie, it's perfectly all right. I get that way myself sometimes—all unstrung. And Mr. Dunn thinks the world of you, he does."

The funny thing about it was that once she was in Jerry's quarters she felt, definitely, some lingering essence of his personality that seemed to quiet her and give her restful poise. Even so, she was still unsettled but there was the beginning of restfulness. She turned on his reading lamp and took a book from the shelf—a volume of poetry by Keats. Reading, the clear, cool beauty of his verse seeped through her like delicious moonlight.

Jerry would understand exactly how she was affected. Only people of their types knew how to unlock such doors of feeling and imagination. With Steve poetry would be a mystery . . . forever a mystery. Ann put the book down in her lap and leaned back utterly relaxed in Jerry's deep chair. What a contrast between the two men! Yet, each had his appeal.

Life with Steve Harrison would be a thrilling adventure in the elevation and development of a man.

With Jerry forever she could visualize complete serenity of two minds dwelling together in harmony on the plane of equality.

But neither, probably, would ever be her husband. It was all idle speculation. Yet the pressure of their individualities was so close around her that she couldn't, at present, escape them. She had come out into the world from the security of her own home to find Life. And she had found Men. For a girl, she wondered, didn't Life and Men mean exactly the same thing?

Jerry was mildly astonished to find her in his room.

"Do you mind my intrusion?" she asked.

"The trouble is you don't do it often enough," he proclaimed.

She thought she detected a shade of indifference in his voice.

"What you reading? Oh, Keats."

Ann put the book aside. "I was only reading to pass the time until you came. Keats was a great poet, but tonight I think I prefer Jerry Dunn. I'm lonesome, Jerry, and I want you to be kind to me—talk to me."

There was a remote expression on his face as though her words had glanced off his mind. He dropped into a chair, stretched himself and then bent forward suddenly.

"A funny thing has happened to me, Ann," he said with sudden deep interest. "Did you ever meet a personality that seemed to stick to you like a burr? Not a burr, either, exactly—one doesn't like a burr. I mean a personality that embeds itself in your mind and you keep thinking and speculating about that person?"

She wanted to talk about herself and her troubles, but there was no chance. His mind seemed to be filled with someone else. Or, he was deliberately withdrawing away from her desire.

"You mean someone who impressed you as I did that first night we met?"

That, too, he brushed aside. "I'm talking about Maizie Thompson," he said. "It's amazing what a penetrating little being she is. She's so baffling, so far away from me, that I've a yen to learn more about her. Does she seem drab and dull to you?"

"I don't think much about Maizie," Ann said helplessly.

His eyes were looking through Ann and beyond. She smiled at him wanly but he did not recognize it.

"You're fickle, Jerry," she said. "You used to feel that way about me."

"Something ought to be done for Maizie," he declared, ignoring her.

"I wish somebody would do something about me," Ann's voice was moody.

"You're able to take care of yourself—I don't worry about you," Jerry went on. "It's funny that Maizie should affect you so. Ordinarily I pay no attention to girls. I met you and we got to be friends but I don't think anyone could say I have the habit of interesting any women. It annoys me—I want to think about my work and my writing and—I find myself thinking about Maizie."

Would he never stop talking about the girl! Ann felt if he did not stop she could scream. . . .

What had become of the old Jerry Dunn she used to know?

Suddenly, she found that her eyes were swimming and warm tears were wetting her checks.

(To Be Continued.)

"Don't you? I find I'm not able to get her out of my mind entirely. I see behind all of the cheapness that surrounds her and there's something that stimulates my curiosity. Sometimes I feel there's a sort of cameo beauty about her—even when her terrible English is jarring my ears. I find myself thinking it's a shame she should be shackled to all of the uninspired dullness of a factory and people we saw tonight in that dance hall. There ought to be something finer in life for Maizie."



"I'm lonesome, Jerry, and I want you to be kind to me—talk to me."

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LIVESTOCK, PRODUCE AND GRAIN MARKETS

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

Chicago, Dec. 21.—(By Department of Agriculture)—HOGS—Receipts, 50,000. Steady to 10c lower; active on decline; top $8.50; mostly a $8.35@8.45 market on better grades from 180-290 lbs. Butchers, medium to choice, 250-350 lbs, $8.25@8.50; 200-250 lbs, $8.25@8.50; 160-200 lbs, $8.10@8.45; 130-160 lbs, $7.40@8.40; packing sows, $7.60@8; pigs, medium to choice, 90-130 lbs, $6.75@7.85.

CATTLE—Receipts, 2,000. Calves, receipts, 1,000. Market fairly active on finished steer trade; stockers and feeders slow; fed steers and yearlings closing week about in line with last. Slaughter classes: Steers, good and choice, 1300-1500 lbs, $12.75@16.25; 1100-1300 lbs, $12.75@16.25; 950-1100 lbs, $12.50@16.75; common and medium, 850 lbs up, $8.75@12.50. Fed yearlings, good and choice, 750-950 lbs, $12@16.25. Heifers, good and choice, 850 lbs down, $10.50@13.25; common and medium, $7.50@10.50. Cows, good and choice, $8@10.50; common and medium, $6.60@8; low cutter and cutter, $5.50@6.60. Bulls, good and choice (beef), $9.25@11.25; cutter to medium, $7@9.25. Vealers (milk fed), good and choice, $13@15; medium, $11.50@13; cull and common, $7.50@11.50. Stocker and feeder steers, good and choice (all weights), $10.50@12; common and medium, $8.25@10.50.

SHEEP—Receipts, 10,000. Few early sales steady; fat lambs held higher; bulk sorted fat lambs $14.25; choice sorted fat lambs held upward to $14.75; feeding lambs and sheep slow. Lambs, good and choice (92 lbs down), $13.85@14.85; medium, $12.25@13.85; cull and common, $8.75@12.35. Ewes, medium to choice (150 lbs down), $5.50@8; cull and common, $2.25@6. Feeder lambs, good and choice, $13@14.25.

SOUTH ST. PAUL LIVESTOCK

South St. Paul, Dec. 21.—(By Department of Agriculture)—HOGS—Receipts, 9,000. Market steady to weak with Thursday's average. 250-350 lbs, $7.90@8.10; 200-250 lbs, $7.90@8.10; 160-200 lbs, $8@8.10; 130-160 lbs, $7.75@8; 90-130 lbs, $7.75@8; packing sows, $7.50@785.

CATTLE—Receipts, 1,000. Market: Steady on all lines; vealers steady. Calves, receipts, 800. Bulk quotations: Grass stock steers, $9.50@11; grass stock cows, $6.75@7.75; low cutters and cutter cows, $5.25@6.50; vealers, $13; stock and feeder steers, $8@9.25.

SHEEP—Receipts, 500. Market: About steady. Quotations: Top fat lambs, $13.75 asked; bulk fat lambs, $13.50; bulk cull lambs, $10@10.50; bulk fat ewes, $6.50@7.50.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET

BUTTER—Receipts, 6,111. Extras, 49c; extra firsts, 48@48½c; firsts, 45½@47c; seconds, 43@44½c; standards, 48¾c.

EGGS—Receipts, 4,650. Firsts, 38@41c; ordinaries, 30@36c; seconds, 24@28c.

CHEESE—Twins, 23½@24c; Young Americas, 24¾@25c.

LIVE POULTRY—Receipts, 3 cars. Fowls, 18@26c. Springs, 18@29c. Ducks, heavy, 17@24c. Geese, 22½c. Turkeys, 20@36c. Roosters, 20c.

POTATOES—Market dull; arrivals 65 cars; on track 226; in transit 398. Wisconsin sacked Round Whites, 80c@$1. North Dakota and Minnesota sacked Round Whites, 80@90c; sacked Red River Ohios, 95c@$1. Idaho sacked Russets, $1.40@1.65.

ST. PAUL PRODUCE MARKET

BUTTER—Packing stock, 30@32c; butterfat, 56@57c; firsts, 48c; extras, 50c.

EGGS—No. 1, 35c; seconds, 25c.

LIVE POULTRY—Hens, 20@21c.

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CORN—No. 3 Yellow, 78@79c; to arrive, 77c. No. 4 Yellow, 75½@76½c. No. 5 Yellow, 72@74½c. No. 3 Mixed, 74@75c. No. 4 Mixed, 73@74c. No. 5 Mixed, 71@72c.

OATS—No. 2 White, 45⅝@47⅝c. No. 3 White, 42⅝@43⅝c; to arrive, 42⅝c. No. 4 White, 39⅝@42⅝c.

BARLEY—Choice to fancy, 65@67c; medium to good, 56@64c; lower grades, 50@55c.

RYE—No. 2, 99c@$1.06; to arrive, 99c.

FLAXSEED—No. 1, $2.32@2.40; to arrive, $2.32@2.40.

CHRISTMAS

FOOD SUGGESTIONS

Your Red Owl Store has a plentiful supply of the fancy and staple foods needed for a bountiful Christmas dinner, specially priced to save you money. Buy your Christmas grocery order at the Red Owl for economy and guaranteed value.

SATURDAY AND MONDAY
Dec. 22nd and 24th

SUGAR Fine Granulated Table Limit 10 Lbs. 58c
DROMEDARY Orange or Lemon PEEL, 2 pkgs. 25c
POWDERED SUGAR 3 Lbs. 23c

Quality MIXED Nuts, 3 lbs. 79c; 5 lbs. $1.29
A real mix—no peanuts—the best grades of Filberts, Walnuts, Almonds and Brazils obtainable.

Old Time Xmas Mix Candy, 2 lbs. . . 29c

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A New Long Loaf of Red Owl Bread 6c
Made with milk, introductory special
9½ inch pound loaf, per loaf

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The Prize Winning Guaranteed Quality Flour
24½ Lb. Bag 89c 49 Lb. Bag $1.69

Fresh Fruits & Vegetables
ORANGES, New Fancy Crop Navels, Large, Doz. 55c
Medium Size Oranges Doz. 35c
APPLES, Red Winesaps 4 Lbs. 25c
GRAPEFRUIT, Large Size 3 for 25c
Eat-more Cranberries Sat. 8 to 10 A. M. ONLY 2 lbs. 39c
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PRESERVES, "Temtor," Pure Fruit Lb. Jar 23c
CHOCOLATE, Walter Baker's ½ Lb. Cake 19c
LIBBY'S Fancy Red SALMON Tall Can 29c
PINEAPPLE, Dole's Pack, broken slices, lge. can 25c
BROWN SUGAR, medium, 3 lbs. . . . 22c

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